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24 Engineering Society Meeting, 5.45
25 German A.D.C. "Die Vier Gesellen," Lyceum, 9
26 Theosophical Society, 75 Jessfield Rd. Public Lecture, 6.30
Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
Hit of the Season, "Dollar Princess"
27 YWCA Finance Campaign Report Rally. Tea 4, Reports 4.15
by L. Fall, Russ. Lt. Opera, Lyc., 8.30
28 Shanghai Philatelic Society
28 A.D.C. Club Evening, Lyceum
28 American University Club, "Country Fair", Social/Dinner, Pavillion, 7.30
29 "The Dollar Princess", Lyceum, 8.30
30 Shanghai Municipal Police Annual Parade and Presentation of Medals on Race Course at 11 a.m.
30 "The Dollar Princess", Lyceum, 8.30
31 Polish Ladies' Charity Bridge/Mahjongg, Foreign Y.M.C.A., 2.30

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1 Spotlite
1 B.W.A. Jumble Sale, Union Church Hall
3 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
3 B.W.A. Bridge and Mahjongg, 3
3 S.W.A. mtg., Bridge/Mahjongg, CSF, 4
3 Le Ballet Russe in "Don Quixote," ballet in 3 acts with Prologue, Lyceum, 9
4 Shanghai Golf Club, annual general meeting, American Club, 6.15
5 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote," Lyceum, 9
6 Le Ballet Russe, "Don Quixote" Lyc., 2.15 and 9
8 B. Zakharoff and V. Havsky in a concert for two pianos, Lyceum, 9
British Scouts Association Jamboree
10 Rotary Club, Metropole Hotel, 12.30
11 B.W.A. Gardening 578 Hungjao Rd, 2-4
11 Women's International Fellowship Service of prayer, Y.W.C.A., 3.30
12 Guide Signalling Rally and Brownie Competition at the Cathedral Girls' School, 425 Avenue Haig, by kind permission of Miss Fleet, 2.30-5.30
15 Annual mtg., Scouts Association. Court Room, British Consulate, 5.30
17 Charity Ball, in aid of the Russian Commercial School, Arcadia, 9

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The King's Daughters:

A Successful Tag Day

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Again it is the duty and privilege, as on many former occasions, for members of The King's Daughters' Society to express thanks to the Shanghai public for their generous response to the Society's appeal for funds on their Tag Day on October 15. Armed with this kindly co-operation, so characteristic of the Shanghai public, the Society will be encouraged to face its problems and render help where the need is most pressing.

The gross amount collected on October 15 and during the subsequent week totalled $2,888.80. We deeply appreciate the help rendered by the Tag collectors, and especially commend the school children, whose enthusiasm and joint efforts resulted in a goodly collection. Equally helpful to our cause were the preliminary press notices, the display of posters by the tramway and bus companies and by many Shanghai stores. Our thanks are also due to Messrs. Cathay Land Co. and Messrs. Arts & Crafts for the loan of collection centres.

In conclusion, we tender hearty thanks to the Shanghai Municipal Council for permission to hold a Tag Day, and to the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation for their kindly help and banking facilities.

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"Nature Notes":

Scientific Terminology

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—Your correspondent READER in his letter appearing in your issue of October 21 is gracious enough to offer a few kind words of appreciation of my "Nature Notes" published during the past few months to take the place of Mr. E. S. Wilkinson's "Country Diary" while he was on home leave. For this I thank him in all humility, for it is nice to feel that one is appreciated, even if one has to descend from the heights of "Scientific Olympus" for it.

He cannot, however, resist a sly dig at us in regard to the matter of the use of scientific names, "to give the proper sort of touch and tidbit of information!" He suggests that the average reader likes his frogs to be "frogs" and not just something with a very long name meaning all sorts of things at once. I wonder if he is aware of the fact that there are at least half a dozen different kinds of frogs in the Shanghai area, only one of which, the Eastern edible frog, so far can be said to have a popular English name. How then is he or anybody else to know which particular species of frog Mr. Wilkinson or I may happen to be writing about unless we include "in an aside, as it were," the scientific name by which it is known.

This is to an even greater extent the case with plants. When, last spring, Mr. Wilkinson was writing about the peculiar little wild flower scientifically known as *Houttuynia cordata*, he actually had to invent a popular name because it had none. He called it the "White Bract." At the same time Mr. W. J. Kerr, Superintendent of Parks here in Shanghai, has called it the "Cord Flower."

So here is confusion to start with. Such confusion exists in regard to the popular names of countless birds, animals, reptiles, fishes, insects and flowers in the English language. Birds that the English call robins are called blue birds by the Americans, while the English would call the American robin a thrush. In different parts of England one and the same bird or plant may be known by altogether different popular names.

Thus, in writing about any given species of animal or plant, whether in China, England or America, the only way to indicate with certainty which species one is referring to is to give it its accepted scientific generic and specific name. These are generally italicized and placed in brackets, so that it is an easy matter for any reader, who does not like them, to skip them. Incidentally, in writing about the natural history of China, one often has no recourse but to use the scientific name of a given species, since many forms have no other name of any sort, not even a local Chinese name. Even if one invents a popular English name for it, one must give the scientific name of a species so as to identify it with its new popular name. Otherwise the latter would be useless.

READER can rest assured that I, and I believe Mr. Wilkinson too, use a scientific name only when I feel it is imperative in order to avoid possible confusion as to just what animal or plant I am writing about—not to give my writings a flavour of erudition or authenticity. I know well enough how readers like him hate their frogs called *Rana*, though they may pronounce them fraugs! But there are times when even the word "fraug" will not serve one's purpose.

As a matter of fact a great many well-known animals and plants have never been given a popular name, the scientific generic or specific name having been generally adopted. As examples the following may be mentiond: dugong, gorilla, octopus, poinsettia, bougainvillea and portulaca; so what, after all, is READER boggling about?

ARTHUR DE C. SOWERBY.

Shanghai, Oct. 22.

Rue du Consulat:

A Question of Watering

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—I notice that the sad surface of Rue du Consulat is carefully watered every morning. Whether the greasy surface is intended to introduce a few extra thrills into the life of any motorist whose taste for dodging the ever present army of jaywalkers has grown jaded with time is not quite clear, but, whatever the reason, may I suggest that if His Imperial Wetness the Watercart cannot be induced to wake up earlier in the mornings, it may be better to banish any lingering doubts one may have by using undiluted O-Cedar polish for the job because, as things are at present, it is sometimes possible to reach the office without a skid.

I know, because I accomplished this feat last Friday morning.

OSS TIN.

Shanghai, Oct. 22.

Window Dressing:

Tribute to Arts & Crafts

To the Editor of the
"NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS"

SIR,—In these times when so many of us feel we must write grousing letters to the papers concerning this and that, I think it is a refreshing relief to be able to write in appreciation of what I consider one of the most attractive sights I have seen in Shanghai for many a long day. I refer to the window dressing of Messrs. Arts and Crafts.

I consider their arrangement of multi-coloured curtain velvets a masterpiece of artistic achievement; it does one's eyes good to gaze upon such beauty, and I warmly congratulate them. May they continue to convey such pleasure to the eyes of passers by.

D. B.

Shanghai, Oct. 21.

P.S. I may add that I have no connection with Arts and Crafts.

Assurance of Eternal Life

Sermon Preached in the Bubbling Well Chapel By Dean Trivett at Evensong, Oct. 16

TEXT:—"*To the unknown God.*" Acts 17, 22-23.

It would seem that St. Paul had come across this inscription upon an Altar Frontal in the course of his wanderings about Athens. Apparently he had been impressed by the futility of it, but when he comes to speak on Mars' Hill he realizes that it will give him just the introduction he needs.

Blind Groping

"The unknown God, whom ye ignorantly worship, him," says St. Paul, "declare I unto you." And in the compass of ten short verses he compresses a wonderful amount of teaching in regard to the one true God. He acknowledges the good that there is in the Athenian consciousness of God, but he would make it positive: for their blind groping he would supply a living content. They are satisfied in their spiritual ignorance, while filled with pride in their material wealth, and with unsparing hand he cuts at the root of that pride, setting against it the Christian teaching of God. Against their pride of accomplishment he sets this teaching in regard to the one true God, namely, that He is architect and creator of all. "God made the world and all things that are therein." They were proud of the beautiful buildings they had erected, fit, they thought, for any God, but he informs them that "the Lord of heaven and earth dwelleth not in temples made with hands."

Against their pride of race—the distinction they make between Greek and Barbarian—he sets the great truth, that God "hath made of one blood all nations of men." Against their pride in a long national history, he teaches them that God, the one true God, "hath determined the times appointed and the bounds of their habitation". Indeed, in the brief compass of his reported address, he compresses an amazing amount of teaching in regard to the great fundamentals of the Christian faith—teaching in regard to the immanence of God, the need of spiritual worship, the divine revelation, the need of repentance, the coming judgment, Christ and the resurrection.

"For as I passed by," said St. Paul, "and beheld your devotions, I found an altar with this inscription, To the unknown God. Whom therefore ye ignorantly worship, him declare I unto you." "To the unknown God." If we were absolutely honest, I wonder if many of us would not have to place this inscription over the doors of the places we dedicate for worship,—use it at the beginning of our prayers and our praises, put it as the inscription upon our gifts.

A Personal God

Jesus said, "This is life eternal, that they might know thee, the only true God, and Jesus Christ, whom thou hast sent." And by all that he was and said, and did, Jesus revealed God, a personal and loving God. The Almighty God, Creator and Sustainer of the Universe, who made this world in all its beauty and who provides so bountifully for the needs of all by making the earth rich and fruitful, is also our loving heavenly Father, He has a personal interest in each one of us; He hears and answers our prayer; He loves us, even though we be sinful and ungrateful, loves us with an everlasting love.

Our loving heavenly Father,—do we so know Him? Our blessed Lord taught us that this knowledge is of vital importance. Worldly success, earthly possessions, may depend on other knowledge, "but this is eternal life, to know thee." Ignorance in other matters may lead us into danger; it may result in suffering and loss; it may be fraught with far reaching and serious consequences; but ignorance of God is fatal. Here knowledge is life, life eternal, but ignorance is death, eternal death.

Deeper Knowledge

"The unknown God." I say without fear of successful contradiction that the supreme need of the present day is a truer conception and a deeper knowledge of God. Other knowledge may be important, but this alone is vitally necessary. It means peace and happiness in this life, and eternal life in the life beyond the grave. We call ourselves Christians, but how little we know or try to learn of the God in Whom we profess to believe—how little time we spend in an earnest search to know God—how little of our life is spent in communion with Him—how little recognition we make of Him in our planning and in all the details of our lives.

How shall we remedy this tragic state of affairs? Let me suggest how we may do it. Three conditions must be fulfilled if we would attain to a knowledge of God in this true and vital and all important sense. First, we must earnestly seek Him. There must be an earnest desire to know Him, nor need we fear that we shall seek in vain, for the promise runs: "Seek and ye shall find, knock and it shall be opened unto you, ask and ye shall receive." God longs to reveal Himself to us more fully, but He is hindered by our indifference and our sluggish contentment with less than the best.

"Seek and ye shall find." That is the promise, and since the object of our search, the knowledge of God, is of such supreme importance, the search should dominate all our life.

Seek Him

Seek Him in prayer. Reach out to him with a real desire, a longing that is akin to physical hunger or thirst; such a longing is never left unsatisfied. Seek Him in the silence of your room. In some place like this, set apart for worship, shut the world out, and in the stillness God draws near and reveals Himself.

Seek God in the work you do. Look on your daily work as His work, your duty as the high privilege of service for God. Sacred and secular are man made divisions. All work should be considered sacred. It matters not how humble it may be, it can be done for God and with God. In the glowing sunset, in the glory of the flowers, in the bountiful provision for human needs that we find in nature all about us.

This year we have special services in memory of John Wesley, a man whose life was uniquely God conscious and dedicate. He was among the busiest of busy men, carrying heavy burdens of administration and organization, yet he found time to spend in his search for God. As he rode the long distances between his preaching centres, he spent the time in study and meditation.

Then we think of Mary Slessor, whose life on the Calabar Coast bears such eloquent testimony to her knowledge of God and her constant communion with Him. She found the secret when, before her mission days began, she worked at the looms in her native town. She had a Bible on the frame and studied a verse as it passed along, then another. Livingstone used the same method; and so one might go on.

I would premise that if we did but work half as hard at our religion as we do in our business or pleasure, we would get results that would astound us. We should be conscious of God in a new and wonderful way; prayer would become alive and powerful, and our lives would be transformed.

We cannot hope to find God until we are filled with an overwhelming desire to be free from all impurity. Then let us no longer be content to worship an unknown God, for this is most sure and certain,—an earnest search for God, sufficient time given to the search, and a real desire and an honest effort after purity in deed and motive, shall not fail of their reward. We shall find Him; we shall attain to that knowledge of God which is peace and joy and power, not only here and now, but that carries with it the assurance of eternal life.

20 Killed in Fifth Raid On Barcelona

Barcelona, Oct. 22.

Twenty persons were killed and eighteen wounded in an air-raid on the city yesterday morning. This was the fifth raid Barcelona had experienced since dusk on Thursday. —Reuter.

Sixty Years Ago

FROM THE "NORTH-CHINA DAILY NEWS," OF OCTOBER, 23, 1878

The great obstruction of the Woosung Bar to the trade of Shanghai has again been forcibly shown by the detention there, for several days, of four vessels, and which are still unable to cross owing to insufficiency of water. The British ship Cutty Sark and the British barque Nournahal arrived at Woosung, with coals from Nagasaki, on the 12th or 13th., and have since been detained there, and are likely to be for some days longer so far as present indications go, the lowness of freights leaving no margin for lighterage or such like expenditure. The steamer Loudoun Castle, arrived there on the 17th and the Glenfalloch on the 19th, and being unable to cross the Bar within reasonable time, the agents have been compelled to send down lighters, and probably both the steamers will be enabled to come up to Shanghai today or tomorrow.

As a proof that religion is not being suppressed in Germany the magazine, "The Evangelical Germany," states that during the last three years over 350 new churches had been erected in the Reich. This number is not complete however since many Catholic churches are not included.

SHORT WAVE RADIO

Daventry, England.—Trans. 1, from *15.00 to 17.15* o'clock, 19.66m.; 19.76m.; 25.29m.; 25.53m.; 31.55m. Trans. 2, *18.45 to 21.50*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.; Trans. 3, *22.00 to 1.00*, 13.93m.; 13.97m.; 16.86m.; 19.82m.

Via Hongkong.—31.49m.

Berlin, Germany.—*13.05 to 24.00*, 31.38m.; 19.74m.; 19.63m.; 13.99m.; *13.05 to 18.50*, 16.89m.

Rome, Italy.—*19.00 to 21.30 and 23.00 to 00.20*, 25.4m.

Australia—Lyndhurst, Mon.-Sat. *10.35 to 21.30*, Sun., *16.00 to 20.30*, 31.34m.

Sydney, Sun., *14.00 to 16.00; 18.00 to 22.00*; Mon., *22.00 to 24.00*; 31.28m.

Melbourne, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 22.00*, 31.50m.

Perth, Mon.-Sat., *17.00 to 19.00*, 31.28m.

Paris, France.—*19.00 to 24.00*, 19.68m.; *22.30 to 24.00*, 16.84m. Also *irreg.* on 25.24m., 25.60m. and 31.41m.

Hilversum, Holland.—Irreg., but generally; Daily, *08.00 to 10.00, 21.25 to 23.30*; Sun., *20.25 to 23.30, 03.00 to 04.00*, 16.38m.; 19.71m.; 31.28m.

Manila, P.I.—*6.30 to 9.00 and 19.00 to 23.00*, 25.38m.; 31.35m. Sunday, *18.00 to 24.00*.

Tokyo, Japan.—*13.30 to 14.30, 21.00 to 23.30*, 25.42m.; 19.79m.

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13.30 News, etc. (T)
14.00 News in German (S)
15.00 News (S), "After Dinner" (D)
15.20 Piano recital (D)
15.50 Religious service (D)
16.40 News, etc. (D)
17.30 News in German (S)
18.45 Continental Players (D)
19.00 Concert (S), News (F), Varied (S)
19.50 "Detectives in Fiction," 5 (D)
20.00 Harry Davidson's Orchestra (D), News (S), Concert (F)
20.20 "As I See It," 3 (D)
20.35 Religious service (D)
21.00 News in German (S), Varied (T)
21.25 News, etc. (D)
21.30 News in French (F)
22.00 News (D), "Notes from the Royal Library," 3 (D)
22.15 Victorian Melodies (D)
23.10 Religious service (D)
24.00 News, etc. (D)
00.20 Eugene Pini's Tango Orchestra (D)
05.00 News, etc. (D)
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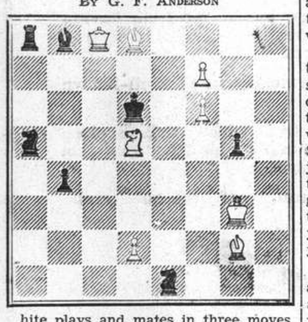
PROBLEM No. 130

By G. F. Anderson



hite plays and mates in three moves.

Answer to Problem No. 129

White: K on QKt7; Q on K7; R on Q1; B's on QR6, K5; Kt's on KKt3, KR7; P on QKt4. Black: B on Q4; R on KB6, B's on Q7, KR6; Kt's on QR1, KB8; P's on QB2, Q2, K5. Two moves. B — Q4. Threat Q — K5.

Black	White
1. B — B5	2. Kt — B6
1. K × B or B — K3	2. Q — B5
1. R — B4	2. Q × QP
1. P — Q3	2. Q × KP

A surprising key unpins the Black B make a nice interference on B — B5. A second Black interference is caused by R — B4, and self-blocks by B — K3 and P — Q3 complete the picture.

The following submitted correct solutions to Prob. No. 129:—J. Lawrence Rozario, J. Lindner and C.R.D.

From Dorpat, Esthonia

CARO-KANN

White Keres	Black Kaila
1. P — K4	P — QB3
2. P — Q4	P — Q4
3. P × P	P × P
4. P — QB4 (a)	Kt — KB3
5. Kt — QB3	P — K3
6. Kt — B3	B — K2
7. B — Q3	Castles
8. Castles	P × P
9. B × BP	P — QR3
10. Q — K2 (b)	P — QKt4
11. B — Kt3	B — Kt2
12. B — Kt5	QKt — Q2
13. QR — Q1	Kt — Kt3
14. Kt — K5	QKt — Q4
15. P — B4 (c)	Kt × Kt
16. P × Kt	Kt — K5
17. B × B	Q × B
18. P — B5 (d)	Kt × P
19. Q — Kt4	P × P (e)
20. Q × BP	Kt × R (f)
21. Kt × P	Q — K6ch
22. K — R1	B × Pch!
23. K × B	Q × B (g)
24. Q — K4	Q — Q4 (h)
25. Kt — R6ch	K — R1
26. Kt — B7ch	R × Kt
27. Q × Q	Kt — K6ch
28. K — Kt3	Kt × Q
29. R × R	Kt — B6 (i)
30. R — K7	Kt × P
31. P — Q5	K — Kt1
32. P — Q6	R — Q1
33. R — K6	K — B2
34. Resigns (j)	

(a) The move of Schlechter, the Austrian master, who died of privations in the war period.

(b) P — QR4 is suggested, for P — QKt3 by Black would block a square wanted by his QKt.

(c) In this variation White must play a forward game, as his pawn position is slightly inferior.

(d) A good gamble, but premature. On the other hand, if he protects the QBP, Blacks piles up thereon and puts him entirely on the defensive. He could try B — B2, inducing P — B4, with a drawish position; for Black would not like 18. ... Kt × P, 19. B × Pch, K × B, 20. Q — R5ch, K — Kt1, 21. R — Q3, with a very fierce attack on the K.

(e) Kt × R. 20. P — B6!

(f) Young Mr. Kaila has worked out a beautiful variation.

(g) Clearing K8 for his Kt. The great Paul Keres struggles in vain.

(h) Elegant simplification; but Kt — K6ch, 28. K — Kt1, Q — Q4, 29. Q × Kt, R × Kt would leave White helpless.

(i) A second pawn goes.

(j) We shall hear more of Mr. Kaila.

Queer Ending

White (E. G. Reed in the final round of the Sussex championship): K on KR1; Q on QB2; R's on QB3, KKt1; B on K6; P's on QR2, Q5, K4, KB2. Black (W. A. Winser): K on KB1; Q on QB4; R's on QB2, KR1; B on QB1; P's on QR4, QB5, K2, KB3, KR5.

White	Black
1. Q — Q1 (a)	B × B (b)
2. P × B	R — B1 (c)
3. R × P (d)	Q × R
4. Q — Kt4	K — K1
5. Q — Kt8ch!	R × Q
6. R × R mate (e)	

(a) A tremendous move, threatening either Q — Kt4 or Q — R5.

(b) P — B4, 2. Q — R5, B × B, 3. Q × Rch, K — B2, 4. Q — KKt8ch, K — B3. 5. Q — Kt7 mate.

(c) Now he must prevent Q — Q8ch. The alternative Q — QKt4 loses the QR.

(d) A fine sacrificing, forcing the Q away from control of her KKt4.

(e) This attractive ending gained Mr. Reed the championship for the ninth time.—"Observer."

Counterfeit Coins "Excellent"

An unemployed gas fitter, Frank Sellwood, 30, of Dalton-avenue, Mitcham, S.W., who was said to have evolved an alloy which was exceptionally good for coining, was sentenced at the London South-Western police court to six month's hard labour. He pleaded guilty to being in possession of counterfeit coins.

The magistrate, Mr. Claud Mullins, commented on the "excellence" of the counterfeit.

Det.-Sergt. Burney said that Sellwood once worked for a firm of ornament makers where he obtained a knowledge of plaster work. Later he worked for the Wandsworth Gas Company where he acquired a knowledge of metals. He had made coins for two or three months.

Mr. Mullins: There are probably hundreds about?—There is a large number.

In a statement read to the magistrate, Sellwood said that owing to unemployment he decided to make five or six florins every week or his three children would have gone hungry. He felt justified in doing it.

Mr. Mullins: It is a bad case. I always stamp on coining.

Snapshot Guild

Many things go into the making of an artistic, appealing picture—and not the least important is the point of view.

In fact, the viewpoint determines the type of picture you get. Consider a picture of a person out of doors. Stand back thirty feet to take the picture, and you get a landscape view with a figure in the foreground. Stand only a few feet from the subject, and you get an informal portrait with the minimum of background. In other words, if you want to feature the person—get close to your subject. If it's the landscape you want—stand back.

Angle shots are unusual and attract attention. Shoot from an elevation, and you get a "bird's-eye" view of your subject. Shoot from below and you get a "worm's-eye" view. The resulting pictures of the same subject from the low and high viewpoints will be quite different and they will lend variety to your snapshot collection.

For example, the picture above was snapped from the beach below the diving board. If the snapshooter had been perched aloft in the diving tower, with his camera pointed downward toward the pair on the springboard, his picture would have been quite different—entirely because of the difference in viewpoint.

In this picture, a K-2 filter was used on the camera lens to darken the sky and emphasize the clouds. Ordinarily, the filter would have necessitated increased exposure, but here the beach reflected so much light that 1/50 second at f.8 was correct. Had the picture been taken from a high viewpoint, with camera pointed down toward the water, no filter would have been used, because the water photographs dark without it.

Next time you're taking pictures—and today is as good a time as any—try snapping the same subject from several viewpoints, high, low, close-up, and distant. Then compare the pictures. You'll readily see how viewpoint helps you to control the arrangement of your pictures. You can simplify backgrounds, eliminate undesirable parts of a scene, make all sorts of changes—all by moving left or right, forward or backward.

This is one sure road to better pictures—study different viewpoints; choose the best one to tell your story—then shoot.

CERTAIN diplomats, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao, are actively engaged in mediatory efforts, going back and forth between Hankow and Chungking in an effort to bring about an early cessation of the hostilities in South China, and a guarantee of the safety of foreign interests. The Japanese side, the report states, still insists upon the Chinese Government being reorganised as a condition for the reported mediation. The mediatory efforts, however, have been unconditionally rejected by the Chinese Government, the report adds.

Br. Commonwealth Relations

Second Conference Held at Lapstone, N.S.W.; About 92 Empire Delegates Attend

The second conference on British Commonwealth Relations organized through the Royal Institute of International Affairs and corresponding bodies in British dominions, was held in Australia early in September. The following excerpts from a statement received in Shanghai may be of interest.

THE hotel in which the conference is being held is situated at Lapstone, 40 miles from Sydney on the lower slopes of the Blue Mountains and commands a million-acre view over the Emu Plains through which the Nepean River winds. In the other direction it looks onto the blue ridges of the mountains. The hotel is set in very spacious lawns which merge in the golf links. The dining room and the billiard room in which the conference meets have huge plate glass windows overlooking the gloriously expansive and peaceful view, and there is not a sound to interrupt deliberations. There are 165 members of Conference, about 92 of whom are delegates. The majority of the remainder are secretaries.

There are 23 in the United Kingdom group including Sir Alfred and Lady Zimmern, Prof. and Mrs. Norman Bentwich from the University of Jerusalem, Mr. and Mrs. Lionel Curtis, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Hodson (editor of the "Round Table" and Assistant Editor of the "Economist"); General Sir Charles Burnett-Stuart (who has just retired from the Army; Admiral Sir Howard Kelly; and two Trade Union leaders—Mr. Ernest Bevin (a magnificent type of Labour leader) and Mr. James Walker. The leader of the U. K. group is Lord Lothian who is very able. Miss Grace Hadow is one of the U. K. delegates and she has chaired two sessions with great experience. She is principal of one of the Women's Colleges at Oxford. Another woman delegate is Mrs. Doris Booth who is included in the Queensland group, presumably because of her knowledge of New Guinea.

Indian View

The Hon. Pandit Kunzru, President of the Servants of India Society, is leader of the Indian group which is composed of two Muslims and two Hindus. The gist of the Indian point of view is that one can only have willing co-operation between different parts of the British Commonwealth when each unit is free to give it or withold it, as it likes. In other words, until India takes her place with the self-governing Dominions one cannot expect her to be keen about co-operation in foreign policy and defence, and trade. They are also very interested in the Indianization of the army, and are dissatisfied with the plans which are already on foot because they only effect 1/5 of the army. The other point which the Indians never fail to make is the injustice and "national affront" to India of the discrimination on the part of the Dominions against Indian immigrants. They don't question the right to control immigration and to protect living standards by minimum wage legislation, but if after taking these things into consideration the Dominions are prepared to admit immigrants, India claims the right to admittance of a certain proportion.

There is a delegation of five from Eire or Ireland, which, ironically enough, they insist on calling it. Unfortunately none of them belongs to DeValera's party. Mr. Dillon is the Deputy Leader of Cosgrave's Opposition party. They have told the Conference that the only thing which is troubling Ireland today is the question of partition, and that is a great thing to be able to say." They have made it plain that unless some way of compromise is found between Northern Ireland and Eire that co-operation between them and the British Commonwealth cannot be expected.

The Canadians

Canada has a large delegation of 19. In some reports it represents an "isolationist" point of view. The Canadians give outspoken support of "international law and order." Whereas some United Kingdom delegates take the attitude that it has been inherent defects in the League machinery which have led the world to its present condition, the Canadians feel that it has been the weak attitude of the Governments towards the League which has so largely contributed to the chaos.

A more radical change had overcome the New Zealand group since the last conference met in Toronto five years ago, than had taken place in the thinking of any other group. They had evolved less of an independent attitude than any of the other Dominions. Today however, they are very conscious of disabilities in preventing the development of the national culture or point of view in New Zealand. Although the group is a varied one with an ex-Conservative Prime Minister as their leader, they are unanimous in their enthusiasm for present-day trends in New Zealand life. They really think they are on the road to the millenium.

South Africans

Most of the South African group are Afrikaans, but they have at least one imperialist amongst their number. They are insisting upon their "right to neutrality," and then say that while they have enshrined this right in legislation, they would not be likely to use it if Great Britain were at war. Of the German demand for the return of her colonies, the South African group have pointed out that this is the only mandate which is contiguous with the mandatory.

There is one lone man from Newfoundland who is reckoned part of the U. K. group, seeing that Newfoundland has temporarily laid aside Dominion status. Their chief concern is further co-operation with Canada.

Australia is the only remaining group. It is doubted if it has as individual a contribution to make as the other Dominions. Australia has not got a foreign policy as independent from that of the U. K. as Canada, South Africa or New Zealand under the Savage Government. Australian Labour point of view is represented by Miss May Holman, a member of Parliament in Western Australia, Dr. Lloyd Ross, Secretary of the Railways Union and Senator Collings from Queensland.

The work of the conference falls under four main headings:

A consideration of the interests of the individual Nations of the Commonwealth.

External policies in their economic aspect.

External policies in their political and strategic aspects.

The future of the Commonwealth as a co-operative organization.

What will be the likely results of bringing all these people together at such an expenditure of time and money?

The conclusion that will probably be reached will be that the way of maintaining co-operation within the Commonwealth is by establishing complete equality and complete independence amongst the component parts of the Commonwealth. Co-operation will be based on a recognition of each other's problems, and a common desire to perpetuate the particular way of life of each, viz. the democratic way.

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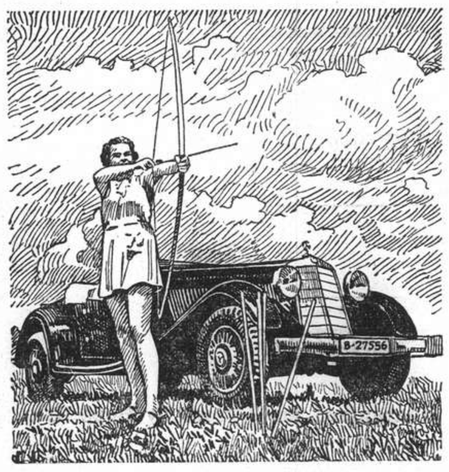

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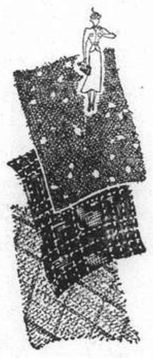

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From a Clubman's Chair

When Mr. Chamberlain Sold Mattresses ; Historical Relics Going Cheap ; Unlucky Stage Ventures

By Charles Martin

When Mr. Neville Chamberlain, comparatively late in life, became a politician he found that more than one principle which has guided him throughout his business career was applicable in his new sphere. The man who flew to Germany to talk with Herr Hitler was the man who, 30 years ago, scored a notable business triumph by acting on this same principle of establishing personal contact when important affairs are under discussion.

Mr. Chamberlain was a director of a firm of bedding manufacturers, who with a number of others were keen to get the contract for supplying steel mattresses to liners being built at Belfast for the Australian passenger service. Competition was intense; only a few pounds separated the various tenders. Of the manufacturers who quoted for the work, only one thought of following their quotation up with a personal call. Mr. Chamberlain, on his own initiative, travelled to Belfast by the fastest available means, and returned with the contract in his pocket.

Memories of Disraeli

A statesman who died in London 57 years ago has been in the thoughts of many people these last few weeks. Mr. Chamberlain's mission to Germany was a reminder of a famous predecessor's visit to that country, at an equally critical time, and the "Peace with Honour" with which Lord Beaconsfield returned from the Berlin Congress.

And in Whitehall Gardens, a stone's throw from Downing Street, an auction sale has just disposed of the contents of two rooms once used by Disraeli. For the sum of £92 a West End antique dealer bought the sculptured mantelpieces, the wall paintings, the huge mirrors, the fat little gilt cupids and all the rest of the "ornate" decorations and fittings of two rooms where history was made.

"I'll sell this stuff on its merits, not on its historical interest," declared the buyer after the sale, "nobody really cares who used these rooms." London is not always kind to the memory of its great ones. The house in Curzon Street where Disraeli died presents a neglected, desolate appearance these days.

Rare Mantelpiece

Mr. Pembery, the man who bought the Disraeli lot, has put through some remarkable deals in his time. The most striking was done over a cup of tea in a Devonshire farmhouse when the dealer was on holiday. In the room in which he was drinking his tea he noticed something that looked like a church doorway. Actually it was not a doorway but part of a huge mantelpiece (half of it was walled up).

Mr. Pembery, an authority on mantelpieces, immediately offered the farmer $500 for it, much to that man's amazement. The mantelpiece, partly bricked up for at least 200 years, had always been regarded as an encumbrance. The farmer accepted the offer with alacrity, while doubting the sanity of the man who made it. But the mantelpiece was over 500 years old and exceedingly rare—there are not more than seven or eight of this kind in the country—and it was sold a few weeks later for £1,500.

The Longest Letter

The news that the National Farmers' Union in England has received from a farmer in New South Wales a letter which measured 15 ft. 1½ in. long by 1 foot 3½ in. wide led to some discussion as to what actually is the longest letter on record. Until recently it was thought that the British Broadcasting Corporation had received the largest written in modern times—it measured 7 ft. 6 by 1 foot 10½ in. and was sent by a listener who objected to "jass compositions"—but the Gargantuan document from Australia must now be considered as holding first place for size.

The only other lengthy epistles to compare with these letters are the petitions which are signed from time to time, but as they consist almost entirely of signatures, perhaps comparison is hardly fair. The longest on record are the Chartist petitions presented to Parliament about 100 years ago. The second of these contained 3,315,753 signatures.

London Play Fails

An idea of what theatrical producers risk when they put on a play in London was provided recently by a man who had just added to the list of the town's short-lived stage ventures. He shocked the theatre world by revealing that his takings for its last three days of the run of "Give Me Yesterday," which was costing £600 a week to produce, were £61.

No wonder the people who provide the Londoners with stage entertainment take every possible precaution before deciding to put on a play, and to outsiders often seem too cautious and conservative. A manager will send a play to a reader; then, if approved, to another reader for a second opinion; after that he will try it on friends and relatives. If the majority verdict is still favourable he will proceed to problems of backing and of a suitable theatre. I know of two important productions which held up until certain theatres, considered the only possible ones are available.

TODAY'S CHURCH SERVICES

Holy Trinity Cathedral.—October 23.—19th Sunday after Trinity.—Holy Communion (also in Bubbling Well Chapel) 8 a.m. Mattins and Sermon 10.30 a.m. Psalm: 114. Lessons: Jeremiah 31, 23-37; Luke 12, 35-end. Shaw in C. Anthem: "Jesu, Joy of Man's Desiring." (Bach) Hymns: 4, 243, 298. Preacher: The Dean. Children's Service 10.30 a.m. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th. Sunday Schools 3 p.m. Evensong and Sermon 6 p.m. Psalm: 65. Lessons: Jeremiah 35, John 14. Hymns: 382, 370, 165. Preacher: Rev. P. C. Mathews, M.A. Bubbling Well Chapel: 6 p.m. Preacher: Rev. E. J. Ottewell, L. Th. October 28.—ss. Simon and Jude, App. and Mm.—Holy Communion, 7.30 a.m.

St. John's Pro-Cathedral, Jessfield.—Holy Communion in English at 7.30 a.m. Evening Prayer in English at 6 o'clock. Preacher: Rev. F. L. Hawks Pott, D.D.

Union Church (International and Interdenominational), 107 Soochow Road, (near the British Consulate-General), Officiating Minister, Rev. C. Wilfrid Allan.—Morning worship, preacher, Rev. Dr. Carleton Lacy; 10.45. Children's Morning Service in the Church Hall; 3, Western District Sunday School in the premises of the German Church, 1 Great Western Road. Thursday, 3.30 p.m. meeting of Women's Guild in the Church Lecture Hall; Friday, 5.30 p.m. Choir rehearsal.

Church of the Air Programme (XMHD 760 kc. 394.6m.). 128 Museum Road, Telephone 13661.
Sunday: Oct 23.
10.00 a.m. XMHD Service. Speaker: Rev. H. A. Dykstre.
3.00 p.m. XMHD Gospel Singers.
5.30 p.m. Gospel Service. Mr. J. S. Barr.
9.00 p.m. Russian Service and Music.
Weekdays, Oct. 24-29.
8.30 a.m. Thought for the Day.
12.45 p.m. News Items, NCDN.
1.00 p.m. Devotional Service and Song.
5.00 p.m. Classical and Popular Music.
8.00 p.m. Sacred Music.
8.30 p.m. Gospel Service and Song.
9.00 p.m. News Items, NCDN.
9.15 p.m. To be announced.
Noonday speakers: Rev. Lowry Davis, D. J. T. Williams, Rev. A. E. Small, C. I. M. Friends, Miss Edith Spurling and Rev. J. A. Jacobson.

Fourth Marines Church.—The United States Fourth Marines will hold their church service and concert programme in the Metropol Theatre on Sunday at 10 a.m. Chaplain Lieut. R. R. Marken of the Fourth Marines will conduct the worship and deliver the morning sermon on "The Great Hunger."

Community Church.—Dr. J. H. Wiley of the University of Shanghai will preach in Community Church Sunday at 11 a.m. on the theme, "The Fellowship of Faith." Mr. R. V. Dent will be at the organ, and Mr. Armand C. Bouchard will sing "Today if Ye Will Hear His Voices" by James H. Rogers. The Church School will meet as usual at 9.30 a.m. Sunday. At 4 p.m. the Annual Workers' Conference of all Church leaders will take place at the Foreign Y.M.C.A. At 6.30 p.m. Bishop W. P. Roberts will be the speaker on the Navy "Y" programme for Service Men.

Endeavourers Church.—Morning service will be held at "The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road at 10 a.m. The speaker will be Rev. F. R. Millican. Mid-week Prayer-meeting will be held on Wednesday at 5.30 p.m. in Room 305, Missions Building—169 Yuen Ming Yuen Road. All cordially welcome.

Church of Christ the King. 235 Rue Bourgeat. Month of Oct. on Sundays. Masses at 7, 8, 9, 10 and 11 a.m. Benediction at 6.30 p.m., on Weekdays Masses at 7 and 8 a.m., on First Friday, Masses at 7 and 8 a.m. Benediction at 5.30 p.m.

Saint Joseph's Church (Rue Montauban). Sunday: Masses at 5.15, 6, 7, 8.15 and 10.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 6 and 7.30 a.m.

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Church of St. Aloysius Gonzaga (730 Kiaochow Road). Sunday: Masses at 6, 7, 8 and 9.30 a.m. Benediction at 4 p.m. Weekdays: Masses at 5.30, 6 and 6.30 a.m.

Shanghai Free Christian Church.—(Evangelical) 661 Hart Road. The Services on Sunday will be conducted as follows:—Morning at 11 o'clock by Rev. W. J. Embery. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening at 6 o'clock by Rev. C. Fairclough. Services during the week:—Monday at 8 p.m. Young People's Meeting. Thursday afternoon at 5.45 Prayer Meeting, Thursday evening at 7.45—Men's Bible Class. A welcome extended to members of the Foreign Defence Forces.

First Church of Christ, Scientist Shanghai 1647 Avenue Road. Sunday Service 11 a.m. Subject: "Probation after Death." Sunday School 9.45 a.m. Testimonial Meeting, Wednesday, 8 p.m. Reading Room at the Church open Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday from 10.30 a.m. to 6.30 p.m. Wednesday from 10.30 a.m. 6 p.m. Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Bethesda Gospel Hall (International).—729 Yu Yuen Road, Shanghai Gospel Services are held in: German:—on Sundays at 5 to 6 p.m., on Wednesdays Bible Class for Ladies at 4-5 p.m. English:—on Tuesdays Prayer Meeting at 5.30 to 6.30 p.m. Chinese:—on Sundays Breaking of Bread Meeting at 10-11.30 a.m., on Sundays Gospel Meeting at 2.30 to 3.30 p.m., on Fridays Bible Class at 5.30 to 7 p.m.

"The Hut" 495 Yu Yuen Road. Sunday School at 3 p.m. Evening Service at 6 o'clock. Preacher, Mr. R. H. Mathews. Bible Classes—Wednesday, at 10.30 a.m. Friday, 7.45 p.m.

Programme Station XMHD Service, Sunday. 10 a.m., chimes; Glory to God in the Highest; prayer; Oh Worship the King; scripture; announcements; since Jesus Came into My Heart; sermon, Rev. H. A. Dykstra; beautiful Isle of Somewhere; Dismissal; Organ, It is Well with My Soul.

Drinks at 1 a.m. For Actors

"The House is Famous for Its Cooking"

Police visits to an apartment house or theatrical people in Store-street, Bloomsbury, were described at Clerkenwell. It was alleged that the officers, who were there up to 1.45 a.m., were able to obtain drinks without difficulty.

The proprietor, Enrico Olivelli, and his wife, Margaret Olivelli, pleaded guilty to selling intoxicating liquor without a licence. The husband was fined £20, with £10 10s costs, and the wife was fined £10.

Mr. Vernon Gattie, prosecuting, said that Mr. Olivelli also held an off-licence in respect of a lock-up shop adjoining the house, but there was no inter-communication.

After other police visits, Sub-Divl.-Insp. Swinney went to the premises with a warrant, accompanied by other officers. At 12.35 a.m. on June 19 he found 38 persons, only nine of whom claimed to be residents, and 25 of them were in possession of intoxicants.

Good-Class Stage People

Inspr. Swinney stated that the house was frequented by good-class stage people, and apart from this matter it was perfectly well conducted. Those who had obtained drinks were people who did not finish their employment until very late.

For the defence, a solicitor said the premises were not open to the general public, but residents had brought friends in with them.

Referring to liqueurs which the police found, the solicitor observed that they were there for the chef's use, and added: "I believe the house is famous for its cooking."

To Mr. and Mrs. Olivelli, the magistrate, Mr. Walter Hedley, K.C., remarked:

"You may think the regulations are not very sensible, applied to people whose business keeps them up to midnight, or after, before they can have their regular meal, but there is the law, and it has to be observed."

For failing to take out an excise licence Mr. Olivelli was fined a further £4.

CONTRACT

By Albert H. Morehead

(In the New York "Times")

The play of a hand in which a cross-ruff is required often puzzles the average player, although a fairly simple rule furnishes guidance for nearly all such hands. The proper method of analyzing the hand is to count up the number of ruffs which will be necessary, and the entries which will be needed to complete this process; then to cash all high cards not needed as entries. The following deal was often misplayed in a duplicate game.

North: ♠ K Q 9 ♡ 10 8 6 5 2 ◇ 8 ♣ A 6 5 2

West: ♠ 4 ♡ A K Q 9 7 ◇ Q 10 2 ♣ Q J 9 3

East: ♠ J 5 3 2 ♡ J 4 ◇ K J 9 4 3 ♣ 10 8

South: ♠ A 10 8 7 6 ♡ 3 ◇ A 7 6 5 ♣ K 7 4

South dealt, with neither side vulnerable. The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 Spade	Double	Redouble	2 Diamonds
Pass	Pass	2 Spades	Pass
3 Spades	Pass	4 Spades	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West opened the heart king, and then, seeing the possibility of a cross-ruff by declarer, shifted to the spade four. Dummy's nine was played and East wisely did not cover, the nine winning the trick. Since South could not at this point ruff two of his losing diamonds in dummy and still capture the spade jack, he decided to play a cross-ruff.

Declarers who went wrong immediately began to ruff hearts in their own hand and diamonds in dummy. On the third round of hearts East discarded a club, after which one of the North-South club honours was ruffed by East.

The correct play, before beginning the cross-ruff, was to cash both of the high clubs. Then dummy could ruff diamonds while South ruffed hearts. Eventually, having only the spade A-10 in his hand, South could lead one of his losing cards in the other suits and be sure of winning two more spade tricks. South's five spades, the two diamond ruffs in the dummy and the three top cards outside produced ten tricks and completed the contract.

One No-trump

Here is how a novel no-trump was made.

North: ♠ 9 6 ♡ K Q 10 2 ◇ A J 4 3 ♣ A J 6

West: ♠ A 10 8 5 4 3 ♡ 7 5 ◇ K 6 2 ♣ Q 4

East: ♠ J 2 ♡ J 9 6 4 ◇ Q 10 5 ♣ K 10 8 7

South: ♠ K Q 7 ♡ A 8 3 ◇ 9 8 7 ♣ 9 5 3 2

North dealt, with both sides vulnerable. The bidding:

North	East	South	West
1 Heart	Pass	1 No trump	Pass
Pass	Pass		

West's opening lead was the spade five, on which East played the jack. Ordinarily, holding K-Q-x in a suit, declarer would win the first trick, hoping his second honour would stop the suit again. In this case, South decided that his best chance of making his contract would be to establish an extra diamond trick, and this would surely give East the lead at least once. In that case, East could lead through the remaining spades in South's hand. A six-card spade suit in West's hand would almost surely defeat the contract.

South, therefore, decided not to win the first spade trick. He played the spade seven and let the jack win. East returned a spade, West winning with the ace and leading a third spade, on which dummy and East discarded clubs. South took this trick, played the diamond seven, and led it ride to East's ten. East then led a club, West's queen driving out the ace. Re-entering his hand with the heart ace, South led another diamond and finessed again, East winning and cashing two club tricks. But North threw a heart away on the last club, and won the remaining tricks with the heart K-Q and diamond A-J. South, therefore, got seven tricks and made his contract.

An Extreme Freak

Until about eight years ago, blasé bridge players used to provide ready-made freak hands for themselves by the "goulash" or "mayonnaise" deal. This was a deal of unshuffled cards. It soon went out of fashion, because skill was minimized in the play of the cards, it being impossible to estimate how a suit would be distributed. In the Cavendish Club's first duplicate game of this season, an unintentional freak deal produced a goulash type of distribution, including a situation in which two singleton aces were trumped. The hand was dealt as follows:

North: ♠ — ♡ J 6 5 4 ◇ 10 9 7 6 5 4 ♣ 4 3 2

West: ♠ K Q ♡ A 10 9 8 7 ◇ K Q J 8 3 2 ♣ —

East: ♠ 8 7 ♡ K Q ◇ — ♣ K Q J 10 9 8 7 6 5

South: ♠ A J 10 9 6 5 4 3 2 ♡ 3 2 ◇ A ♣ A

South dealt, with neither side vulnerable. The bidding of the hand, the first time it was played, was as follows:

South	West	North	East
1 Spade	2 Hearts	Pass	3 Clubs
3 Hearts	Double	Pass	Pass
3 Spades	4 Diamonds	Double	4 Hearts
4 Spades	Double	Pass	5 Clubs
5 Spades	Double	Pass	Pass
Pass			

West opened the diamond king, which East ruffed with the spade seven. East returned a club, which West ruffed. Both of South's singleton aces had now fallen. West then led the ace and another heart, putting East in, and on a club return South could not ruff with the spade ace without setting up West's king, nor ruff low without West's overruffing. The contract was therefore the defenders taking five tricks.

At other tables the South hand was often bid to six spades, which was defeated four tricks; or the East hand was bid to six or seven clubs against which the defenders took three tricks.

Germany has set up yet another record in the air, and once more it is the famous passenger aeroplane, "Brandenburg," that has achieved it, making it the fifth record gained by this machine. Pilot Seelbach flew a measured distance of 2,000 kilometres at a speed of 227.03 kilometres per hour, thus setting up a new international record for light aeroplanes.

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GRAND.—"In Old Chicago."—Spectacular drama of the lusty, brawling young metropolis that vanished in a tornado of flames, and the tough, two-fisted "never-say-dies" who fought and schemed to make its tawdry splendours possible. The cast of thousands is headed by Alice Faye, Tyrone Powers, Don Ameche, Alice Brady, Andy Devine, Brian Donlevy, Phyllis Brooks, Sidney Blackmer, Berton Churchill and Tom Brown.

NANKING.—"A Letter of Introduction."—The story of Edgar Bergen's rise to fame and fortune forms the background for two backstage romances, with Charlie McCarthy actively assisting his boss in one of them. The brilliant cast includes Andrea Leeds, Adolphe Menjou, George Murphy, Rita Johnson, Eve Arden and Ann Sheridan.

CATHAY.—"We're Going to be Rich."—With Gracie Fields, Victor McLaglen, Brian Donlevy, Coral Browne, Ted Smith and Gus McNaughton. England's famous comedienne teamed with Vic and Brian in a swift, hard-hitting drama of gold-rush days in Johnnesburg; with Gracie singing her latest hits and a couple of old favourites as well. Reviewed Yesterday.

CAPITOL.—"Souls at Sea."—Gary Cooper, George Raft, Olympe Bradna and Frances Dee in thrilling marine saga.

PARIS.—"She."—Helen Gahagah, Randolph Scott, Helen Mack and Nigel Bruce in Rider Haggards fantastic story.

RIALTO.—"Vivacious Lady."—Co-starring Ginger Rogers and James Stewart in a story of a sophisticated night-club singer and a native young professor from a small-town college.

Films Coming

"Romance and Rhythm."—And mad-brained melange of melody, mesmerism and mirth in which a cowboy from Brooklyn quits the wide open spaces to bring a rodeo to little old New York. With Dick Powell, Pat O'Brien, Priscilla Lane, Johnnie Davis, Dick Foran, Ann Sheridan and Ronald Reagan. Coming to the **NANKING.**

"Peter the Great."—Brilliant and spectacular screen realization of Tolstoi's gripping story of the greatest of the Czars. Gold medal picture of the Paris Exposition. With a huge cast headed by Nikolai Simonov as Peter and Alla Tarasova as the serving maid who became his empress. The rest of the cast includes Mikolai Cherkassov, M. Zharov and N. Tarkhanov. Soon at the **CATHAY.**

"Having a Wonderful Time."—The mishaps of two young lovers on vacation provided the story of the year's funniest stage comedy, which has now been made into an even more hilarious picture. With Ginger Rogers, Douglas Fairbanks, Peggy Conklin, Lucille Ball, Lee Bowman, Richard Skelton, Ann Miller and Donald Meek. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"The Devil Doll."—Back from a living death at Devil's Island, Paul Lavond plans a revenge surpassing that of Monte Cristo in the weirdest thriller ever to reach the screen. With Lionel Barrymore, Maureen O'Sullivan, Frank Lawton, Robert Greig, and Henry B. Walthall. Soon at the **METROPOL.**

"Paradise for Two." — Alexander Korda's first musicale—with Patricia Ellis and Jack Hurlburt starred—directed by Thornton Freeland. On Wednesday at the **CAPITOL.**

"Gateway."—A thrilling drama of all sorts and conditions of men, caught in the human wave beating against Ellis Island, Gateway to the Land of the Free! The cast includes Don Ameche, Arleen Whalen, Binnie Barnes, Gregory Ratoff, Gilbert Roland, Raymond Walburn and John Carradine. Coming to the **GRAND.**

"The Valley of the Giants."—Romance, comedy and authentic thrills in Peter B. Kyne's story of the fight for the forest empire of California. Entirely filmed in technicolour, with Wayne Morris. Claire Trevor, Frank McHugh, Alan Hale, Donald Crisp, Charles Bickford, John Litel, Jack LaRue, Dich Purecell, El Brendel and Russell Simpson. Soon at the **GRAND.**

"Secrets of an Actress."—A galmourous drama of the stage, featuring a love tangle with a Gordian knot. It is announced as Kay Francis' farwell to the screen and co-stars with her George Brent and Ian Hunter. There is a fine supporting cast headed by Isabel Jeans, Penny Singleton, Dennie Moore and Herbert Rawlinson. Coming to the **CATHAY.**

"Breaking the Ice." — Genuinely human in theme, richly enhanced by homely humour, and with an ice carnival as its showpiece, this is Bobby's most pretentious picture. Starring Bobby Breen, with Charlie Ruggles, Dolores Costello, Robert Barrat, Dorothy Peterson and Charlie Murray in support. Coming to the **METROPOL.**

"I'll Give a Million."—The sad, sad story of a disillusioned millionaire who promises $1,000,000 to the first person who loves him for himself and starts a riot that disrupts the Riviera. With Warner Baxter, Marjorie Weaver, Peter Lorre, Jean Hersholt, John Carradine, and Lynn Bari. Booked for the **GRAND.**

"A Letter of Introduction"

Edgar Bergen and Charlie McCarthy "steal the show" from such as Adolphe Menjou and Andrea Leeds at the Nanking Theatre today. Others include George Murphy and Rita Johnson.

"In Old Chicago"

This dramatic film, which is attracting crowds to the Grand Theatre, gives Alice Brady some vital scenes with Tyrone Power (above). Also starred are Alice Faye and Don Ameche.

"Having a Wonderful Time"

One of the year's most successful comedies comes soon to the Grand Theatre with Douglas Fairbanks and Ginger Rogers in the principal roles, supported by Peggy Conklin and Lucille Ball.

"Romance and Rhythm"

Shanghai's international audiences are deriving great pleasure from Gracie Fields, Victor McLaglen and Brian Donlevy, at the Cathay, supported by Coral Brown and Ted Smith.

To Dine and Dance

ARCADIA.—Russian cuisine. Ermoll's orchestra. Nick Kniazeff's Ballet.

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SUN YA.—Chinese delicacies at tiffin, tea and dinner.

TOWER.—Night club. Dancing at 9.30 p.m. Featuring "P. G. and a Piano."

Friendly Atmosphere

One of the reasons for the popularity of the Jessfield Club is in that the management believes in allowing the patrons to create an atmosphere of friendliness. A cozy, comfortable night club, with soft lights and excellent music, the Jessfield Club features informality. The patrons seem to enjoy this freedom and the results are highly satisfying to those seeking to have a gay time in a spot where they can sing and dance to their heart's content without any stiff-collared restraint.

The music is gay and light, whether the small but talented orchestra plays the latest jazz tunes or the most fascinating of dreamy waltzes. Two piano players of high repute. George Roth and Ed Boder, feature songs that are liked both by dancers and by those who appreciate fine music. Johnny Bulmer, American master of ceremonies also plays several instruments and his humours skits and general affable spirits aid the patrons in maintaining an air of enjoyment.

"Don Quixote"

Ballet is an expressive art without language barriers. A plot, a story develops itself in which miming and acting play an important part, making the ballet readily understood and appreciated. Such an art is certainly of value in such cosmopolitan city as Shanghai.

Le Ballet Russe, who have given many artistic performances, are presenting soon "Don Quixote," a colourful ballet in three acts, full of life, action, miming and dancing. Beautiful scenery and gorgeous costumes, fascinating dancing and most accomplished acting, the life of old Spain and the adventures of the immortal Don Quixote and his faithful Sancha Panza will charm the audience.

Three evening performances and a special matinee early next month will be given, to which children will be admitted at reduced prices. Early booking is advisable.

Shevlugin and King

Russian Ballet stars soon to be seen in "Don Quixote."

Big "Doin's" in the Ozarks

Everybody's Working in Missouri, as 20th Century-Fox Starts "Jesse James"

There's been nothing like it in the Ozarks since the Civil War, writes Jessie Hodges to the New York "Times." Several weeks ago today, the Missouri Highway Department clocked 1,000 cars an hour over the big bridge on U. S. Highway 71, and 700 of them turned across the little bridge into Noel, Mo., a sleepy Summer resort on the Elk River in the Ozarks, the nearest spot on the railroad to Pineville, Mo., where Twentieth Century-Fox is, filming "Jesse James."

Word got round some time ago that the movie people were looking for a location near Noel. But the native Ozarkian is a skeptical soul and refused to get excited about it until the first trainload of actors unloaded at the railway station in Noel. A few of the young men around town who have more faith in human nature—not having lived through so many droughts, floods and other evidences of nature's orneriness—took a long shot and began raising beards three weeks ago, and now they have parts as extras in the film.

There's a grand holiday spirit abroad on the streets. Of course, a few "phonies" are drifting in, but mostly the crowd is made up of respectable families—fathers, mothers and children who want to see the fun and have a little part in it. As one woman said, "It's a bonanza. It's like the gold rush to Alaska."

In Pineville, the county seat of McDonald County, the old court house built in 1867 still stands untouched by modern progressiveness.

So the movie people have taken over Pineville. And the residents and people from miles round just mill around the streets of the square watching the carpenters as they build the set for the Dixie Belle Hotel and the newspaper office of the "Weekly Gazette." The brick streets round the square have all been covered with dirt, board sidewalks have been nailed over the cement ones, and the lettering, "Clay County Court House," has been put over the east door of the court house.

In the office of the "Pineville Herald" they found a Washington hand press. It belongs to Claib E. Duval, 79-year-old editor, who bought it in Kansas City in 1894, and used it for 25 years. It has been moved now over to the "Weekly Gazette" set, and Mr. Duval says that they can have it as long as they want it—for $50 each week.

Early Sequences

Out at the Crowder farm—the set for some of the early scenes of the picture—the crowds stand in respectful silence watching the actors, director and technicians. A good many of the onlookers have a personal interest in the film. Not only will the company use none but McDonald County residents as extras, but it imported only four horses. The rest of the horses and teams have been rented from McDonald County farmers.

All of the cast, including Tyrone Power as Jesse James, Henry Fonda as Frank James, Nancy Kelly as Zee, wife of Jesse; Henry Hull as the Major, editor of the "Weekl Gazette;" Brian Donlevy as Barshee, land buyer for the St. Louis-Midland Railroad; Randolph Scott as the United States Marshal, Jane Darwell as the mother of the James boys, Director Henry King and the rest of the company are being housed at Noel. Since their arrival the population of the town, normally 467 on week days, has jumped to 5,000 and 10,000 over Sundays.

As the postmaster of Noel said: "It's great stuff for Noel. Used to be when I went to Kansas City people would ask me where I lived. I'd say in Noel, Mo. They'd say, 'Where's Noel?' But now when I go up to Kansas City when I answer I live in Noel, they'll say, 'You don't say'!"

The postcard business has jumped from a previous daily average during the summer of 150 cards a day to 400 postcards a day now. While before there was no air mail, now every day they make an air-mail trip to Tulsa, where it is put on a plane for the West Coast.

Over at the ice plant where Mr. Sam Shaw, the Mayor of Noel, holds office, his wife (who said that the Mayor had gone downtown on business) reported that the movies and the hot weather together had the ice they could make and the bottling plant running night and day. She said that if this picture takes like the Fox people think it will they are going to make eight more pictures near Noel. If the Fox people do make eight more pictures it will help the Noel people out quit a bit, Mrs. Shaw said.

Some Still in Relief

Not everybody has been taken off relief in Noel yet, the Mayor's wife said, because at first nobody could believe that the movie people were really coming. If they did come the Noel people thought it would be only for a few scenery shots, instead of about 70 per cent.

They have been so busy that they may have quit ironing the sheets at the Commercial Hotel, but none of the prices anywhere in town has been raised. Mr. Everett (Red) Manning, president of the Noel Chamber of Commerce and proprietor of a filling station, believes if people who are attracted to Noel by the movie people see what a pretty place it is, and if they are treated right, then they will come back next year.

And what do the movie actors think of the Ozarks? In spite of the not weather they are all having a good time. They can swim, fall off surf boards, and ride. Every night there is a dance at the Shadow Lake resort. Nearly every night they are all there, besieged by autograph hunters.

Although Randolph Scott is not the star of the picture, as far as the Ozark people are concerned he is highty popular. All the children know him for his fine riding. Their elders like him because he has the straightforward manner and the soft-spoken voice of a Virginian. And down here in the Ozark hills they never have whole-heartedly joined the Union since they seceded before the war.

It's like a carnival in the Ozarks, only it's better, because there's real laughter in the hearts of the people—a laughter that comes from the knowledge that at last good times have come to them.

"We're Going to be Rich"

Dick Powell and Pat O'Brien, soon to be headlined at the Nanking Theatre, stage a rodeo. They are supported by the brilliant Priscilla Lane, Johnnie Davis and Nick Foran.

"The Dollar Princess"

Orlovskaya with the Russian Light Opera this week.

Casanova Entertainment

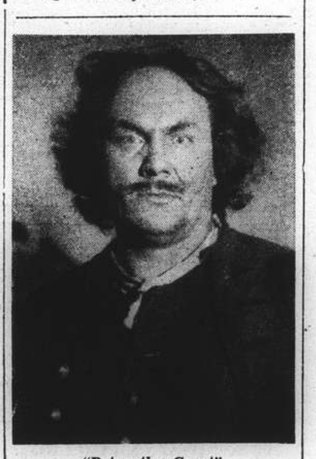
Three new floor numbers will be presented tonight at the Casanova Ballroom by the popular Astor Trio, regarded by the management as the strongest drawing card in many months. The trio includes the talented young dancer, Nina Anteres, and George and Nick Astor. Miss Anteres, who is well known here, will present a solo dance and will be seen in another number with her two male partners. Next Wednesday will be Hot Dog Night. The Casanova employs only foreign hostesses and is open all night. Apollo's Cauchos furnish the inspiration for dancing.

Grand Closing Night

The Pavillion will have its grand closing night on Tuesday, which will also mark the final Wee Golf Bank Night. On that occasion three cash prizes of $100 each will be drawn until actually claimed by persons present. Today there will be a tea dance with music by Nina Kellan's American orchestra. The band has been greatly improved with the addition of Tommy Missman, musician and vocalist just arrived from Japan, and Tod Sanborn, xylophonist and drummer. This week Miss Kellan is presenting three new novelty numbers, specially arranged by George Sellers.

Nina and Nita Dancers

The latest dance team of the Majestic Ballroom, Nina and Nita, commencing tonight will enter into their second successful week at the cabaret. Nina and Nita specialize in character and eccentric dances and seem destined for a long stay at the Majestic, their type of presentations steadily meeting with the approval of guests. The cabaret boasts more than 150 dance hostesses, the majority of whom are foreigners. Service men are welcome, according to Manager Stanley Roberts.



"Peter the Great"

Episodes from the life of the monarch come soon to the Cathay.

A.D.C. Club Evening

A very enjoyable evening is offered to the members of the A.D.C. and their many friends on Friday when the "A.D.C. Follies" will present their entertainment. Mr. Alec Davies and his nine merry maids and men have put in hours and hours of work in order to give a show that is likely to give more than mere satisfaction.

New Production

Although not officially announced so far, rumour has it that A.D.C. is to produce "Gerald Savory's" George and Margaret," the great rival to "French Without Tears," both of which are still running in London well into the second year.

As result of enquiry the rumour is confirmed and the playing dates are provisionally fixed for November 23 to 26. This will be the last production by the A.D.C. before Christmas.

Mr. E. G. Smith-Wright, well-known to Shanghai playgoes, and who has had some notable successes at Hongkong in recent years, will be in charge of the production.

"The Dollar Princess"

Running close to their very successful "Rose of Stamboul," The Russian Light Opera, in announcing for Thursday their second hit of the 1938/39 season, Leo Fall's "The Dollar Princess," feel sure that, with its international appeal, it will prove even more popular than its immediate predecessor.

Valin has the leading comedy role and Orlovskaya as usual will be in fine fettle—Valin is producing.

It will be a matter of pleasure to note that Poliakova, who charmed on several occasions last season, has been cast in a prominent role—her voice has a wide range, she being equally at home in the upper or lower registers. Nevskaya, as the soubrette, makes her first appearance since early summer and Slobodskoy has a "fat" part.

His admirers will note the return of Kudinoff, who was absent last year.

Manjelei and Seroff, new ballet team, of years experience, will give several interpretations, Seroff directing the ballet. The orchestra will be under the able baton of Sloutsky.

"The Dollar Princess" will be repeated in the Lyceum on Saturday and next Sunday.

Danielle Darrieux

It is not possible to state, says a British critic, yet what will be the fate of Danielle Darrieux in her new Hollywood home. The serious actress who appeared in "Mayerling" has been turned into the heroine of a frivolous farce in "The Rage of Paris." She has shown herself as adaptable as a true actress should. She is not a French woman for nothing and is a mistress of all those light touches which are characteristically French. Her first American venture must be accounted a success.

Rumour states that she will be directed in "Rio" by Rouben Mamoulin who is certainly an artiste among directors on a level with Lubitsch, Capra and René Clair.

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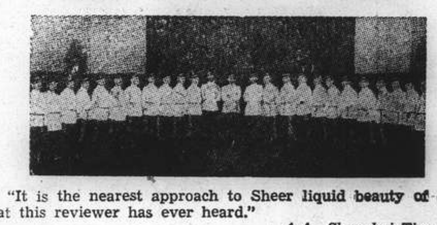

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BIRTHS

EICKHOFF.—On October 22, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to Dr. and Mrs. F. G. EICKHOFF, a daughter.

SOKOLOFF.—On October 21, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, to NINA, wife of J. A. SOKOLOFF, a son. -4411

DEATHS

MURPHY.—On Thursday, October 20, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Shanghai, DENNIS WILLIAM MURPHY, aged 71 years, the dearly-beloved husband of Agnes Murphy and father of Arthur Dennis and Mary Murphy and Mrs. Irene Sullivan (U.S.A.) The remains will lie in state at the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road, to-day until 5 p.m. Interment will take place at his home, Salem, Massachusetts, U.S.A.

BETINES.—On Saturday, October 22, 1938, suddenly, at St. Marie's Hospital, Shanghai, WILLIAM JOHN BETINES, aged 42 years, the beloved husband of Mary Betines. Removed to the parlours of the International Funeral Directors, 207 Kiaochow Road. Funeral services will be held to-morrow, Monday, October 24, at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 4 p.m.

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MANCHOUKUO CITIES

By MICHAEL

When prominent foreigners visit Manchoukuo, in some cases when they merely pass through, interviews are published at Harbin, Hsinking, Mukden and Dairen, in one to four languages, giving the impressions or opinions of the visitor, or at least the reporters versions of them. A natural form of expression, common to most of the interviews is commendation of the improvements brought about by the New Regime. In a few of the cases the distinguished visitor posesses first-hand knowledge of the conditions which obtained before this regime came to existence, but in more instances the published statement would be closer to the truth if it read, "The visitor admitted that conditions, so far as he could judge from the limited observations which he had been able to make since his arrival, were generally better than he had expected to see, and than some previous accounts had led him to anticipate."

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After making due allowance for the enthusiasm of the young interviewers many if not all of whom knew nothing as to the "Former conditions," we regret to observe that interviews published here are no more accurate than in some other places. We have read of favourable views ascribed to foreigners only to learn later, in five cases, that the person to whom the interview was ascribed denied, most emphatically, having made the statements published and at least in one case having made any statements whatsoever. Let us examine therefore some of the conditions in a number of Manchurian cities as seen by a visiting foreigner, and note some of the changes which have taken place, particularly those which effect foreign residents and visitors.

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Trade has increased, so have prices, suppose we do discover that some sugar is valued at less than 6 cents a lb. At the 'Compradore shop' it will still cost you probably three times that much. It would appear from the Customs return that: Imports—"Beer (incl. Ale, Porter and Stout), in bottles," numbered well over 20,000,000 in the past year. The declared value was a little over 3½ million yen, or say 17 sen a bottle, average price for the imported beverage. All the comfort one can derive from this calculation is contained in the thought that thanks to the timely intervention of the police, we will probably not have to pay over 60 cts. a bottle for local-brewed Manchurian beer, within three miles of the Brewery. The police have not extended their protection to those who go in for imported Stout and Cognac beverages.

The first changes that you are supposed to note are in the railway, there are more trains, better trains, faster trains and of course the road-bed has been improved.

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Mukden, Manchuria's metropolis shows the most conspicuous changes in the new country, because the capital, building around the old town of Changchun, is a new creation of this regime rather than a change in a city. Under the Chinese Regime this former capital of Manchuria was no mean city. The advent of Manchoukuo has brought about vast extension. In the old Walled City, there are still many closed shops, and the Chinese business men small and large have had good cause to regret the vanishing, literally overnight, of the wealthy Chinese official class. Japanese trade has increased by leaps and bounds and a new residential area extending South from the former Japanese Settlement nearly to the Hun River, still does not provide adequate housing accommodations for the increase in population. The S.M.R. is planning to expend large sums in further building operations which will provide residences and apartment houses for greatly increased Japanese staffs.

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The Chinese Government had demarked an industrial district North of the settlement where foreigners were permitted to own property. In the new schemes for greater Mukden a large new industrial district directly West of the former Japanese town has been opened up, and a host of new factories has sprung up there. What Mukden lost in political prestige when the capital of the new state was established at Changchun, she has gained in industrial importance. The city has been enlarged. Greater Mukden now includes a number of the former neighbouring villages, not to over-look the former Japanese settlement, which was absorbed when Japan gave up her extraterritorial rights. From its railway stations direct trains leave for Dairen, Yingkow, Antung, Fusan (Korea), Kirin, Harbin, Tsitsihar and Peking. The change has been not only in the number of trains added but in the improvement of the service. From Mukden regular 'plane services run to Shinghisu (Korea), Antung and Dairen (via Tunghua), Chengteh (Jehol), Dairen (direct), and Manchouli (via Harbin), affording connections with the services in Japan and China, if there are any running. Bus lines though not patronized by many of foreign travellers cannot fail to impress a visitor, and the sight-seeing buses offer a quick and easy method of seeing Mukden's high spots.

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In 1931, Japanese business in this centre could not be justly described as very flourishing. Now it has replaced, in large measure, that of most others, with the exception of a few conspicuous examples. Even those foreign businesses which maintain their position in the market are finding the problem of remitting funds, whether to pay for new imports or to transmit their profits to their parent organizations, increasingly difficult. Mukden has a number of impressive new buildings notably the Head Office for the State Railways, operated by the South Manchuria Railway Co., and the new Municipal buildings erected at the East end of the small park in the Commercial Settlement, directly in front of the temple which once housed the American Consulate opened by Willard Straight, whose efforts to bring about American control of Manchurian railways about thirty years ago, form an important turning point in Manchurian history.

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A large sign-board on the Tiehlines station platform shows the traveller the map or rather sketch of the scenic beauties of the area, particularly the Dragon Head Pagoda. The amalgamation of the Japanese and native cities have wrought little change in the appearance of this important town. Except by perusing the Manchoukuo Year Book, a traveller would probably not be aware of the Military warehouse, and the Military Hospital here. Foreign visitors who detrain here will probably have specific business to attend to. Foreign business in Manchuria from the viewpoint of the majority of present or former foreign residents has not improved. The foreign visitor asks of his native connection here, how his business fares, in all but about 5 per cent. of the cases the reply is, "Not so well." It must be remembered that an expression of criticism of the present regime, and more particularly of Japanese is apt to bring the rash native to a very sticky end if it comes to the ears of the Powers that be. We have heard, from strangers, on recent stops here, that constant expression of despair, "Mayo-far-tze" "There is no way out," or "Nothing can be done." It is the nearest to criticism most natives will venture.

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That dismal tank-town Changchun has vanished. In its place is the happy hunting-ground of contractors. Everyone has a splendid new building, except the Emperor. It would serve them right if he decided to move to Peiping, and to leave the imposing buildings, grand avenues, beautiful parks, and other highly publicized features of the New Capitol. In such an event this prosperity, occasioned by the presence of a horde of officials representing a large part of all the salaried class in the country, would fade as old Peking knows only too well and Mukden learnt in 1931.

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We found a change in business; Chinese and foreign goods unavailable; an attitude of apathy among the natives, with regard to the doings of the local government; an astonishing number of inquiries concerning the war, generally in the form, "What do foreigners say about China? Surely such a large country cannot be all destroyed, "no word of anti-Japanese feeling in any case, just a wistful expression of old-home ties; plenty of large scale "Improvements," which, to the native, mean employment for a few more labourers. The industrial developments are to supply more coal, more iron, more liquid fuel, more light metals for Japan's war needs. The primary purposes of Japanese continental expansion: (1) Raw materials for her industries (2) markets for her products (3) relief from overpopulation, are being carried out. At the present moment strenuous efforts are being made to prevent any single wandering yen from straying elsewhere then to Japan.

Wisdom from the Weeklies

Miskenning In Court In the Southampton Police Court recently a solicitor happened to call out "Neal," the name of a witness in his case. A young aircraftsman who was present mistook this for a word of command and promptly knelt. Nowadays this is reported as a humorous incident; it would have been very different in the Middle Ages, states "Truth." It was then a recognized device of the Court officials to lead the unfortunate litigant to suppose that he ought to kneel. When he did so, he was promptly fined for "a miskenning" or breach of the rules of procedure. Probably he then leapt to his feet, but to rise without permission was another "miskenning" followed by another fine; to kneel again without permission was another, and so forth. Sometimes they got the wretched man almost literally "on the run" till they had fined him far more than the amount at issue. This is one of the few passages I remember of Stubbs' Charters—perhaps because the thought of how they did it in the "good old days" tends to reconcile me to the modern system of fining journalists for contempt of Court.

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Our National Heritage Mr. Norman Birkett put forward an unanswerable case for turning the Lake District into a National Park, controlled by a Commission with powers to protect against disfigurement when he opened the exhibition of Lake District photographs at Austin Reed's Gallery, 103 Regent Street, recently. The photographs themselves are a powerful reinforcement of Mr. Birkett's appeal, and should be seen, says "Time and Tide." They show the damaging effect of unsuitable buildings, the unsightliness of artificial shore-lines round lakes impounded for reservoirs, the monotonous effect of the conifer blanket spread over the fells by afforestation authorities, and the hideous gashes of big motor roads driven through the heart of the most beautiful mountain area in England. Philanthropy and private enthusiasm cannot save the Lake District from indiscriminate exploitation, nor can the National Trust or any other Society. The region is too big, and piecemeal preservation is only too likely to lead to further disfigurement of adjoining property. Nothing short of a National Commission can adequately protect the dales and fells, conserve the local agriculture and industries and guard for the English people this lovely part of their national heritage.

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Saving the Countryside The Town and Country Planning Advisory Committee, which was appointed in 1934, has just issued its report. This is on the whole a disappointing document, because the Committee has deliberately refrained from dealing with major issues of policy, such as the question of private ownership of land or the reorganization of local government areas and has confined itself to suggestions for the detailed improvement of the existing law and its administration. Within these limits a number of useful proposals are made, states "The New Statesman and Nation." The Committee suggests a single nationally administered code for the control of advertising, under the Ministry of Health. It wants at any rate certain sections of the sea-coast completely preserved from building, under a national scheme involving a direct financial provision by the State perhaps supplemented by grants from the urban areas on account of their interest in the preservation of seaside amenities. It recognizes the practical failure of the Ribbon Development Act, and urges the Ministry to more active intervention, without making any very constructive proposals for improvement. In relation to the general powers to restrict development, it rightly proposes the repeal of the desructive clause which compels local authorities to allow building to go on unless they are satisfied that other suitable land is available on reasonable terms. This, the Committee point out, prevents a local authority from banning forms of development which it considers unsuitable to its area.

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T. U. C. at Blackpool The early proceedings of the Trade Union Congress at Blackpool last month brought out again the remarkable ability of Sir Walter Citrine to silence his critics if not to satisfy them, says "Time and Tide." At the beginning of the Congress it looked as though he might have a stormy passage, especially since—as the "Manchester Guardian" put it—in the absence of Ernest Bevin through ill-health he would have to do all the "unpleasant jobs." Particularly it seemed that with the Miners' Federation, in which Left-Wing influence is strong, generally critical, with the Engineers disgruntled over the arms negotiations and even such normally acquiescent Unions as the Railwaymen likely to attack the Executive because of the refusal to call a special conference on Spain, Sir Walter was a brave man to allow a resolution for the increase of his salary to £1,000 to come on the agenda for debate. The report on the arms talks, however, was easily carried. Not even the A.E.U. voted solidly against it; and their President's speech was in friendly criticism rather than in wholehearted opposition. Mr. Little's speech expressed the misgivings which many Trade Unionists feel about co-operation with the Government in view of its foreign policy. Such suspicion and doubts are wide-spread and will not be ended by Sir Walter's speech; but any opposition will be tempered by the traditional reluctance of any Trade Unionist to march out of step with his fellows—at any rate in a public session of the T.U.C.

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Progress in Electricity There has been no more marked feature of the post-war period than the spreading use of electrical power. Since 1920 the pace of electrification has been strikingly accelerated; and in the eight years the annual output of electricity by authorized undertakings has more than doubled, rising from 10,294 million kwh. to 22.905 million kwh, last year. Not even the sharp reversal in the general trend of industry since the summer of 1937 has sufficed to arrest this expansion, states "The Economist." Output last month amounting to 1,679 million kwh., was just short of 10 per cent. higher than in August, 1937, while the quantity of electricity generated in the first eight months of this year was 6.6 per cent. more than in the same period of last year. Not only does the industry seem to be relatively impervious to cyclical setbacks, it also has the opportunity, despite the rapid and extensive progress already made, to make equally great headway in the future. A survey conducted by the Electricity Commissioners in 1935-36 showed that out of 12,880,000 premises in the areas supplied by 622 authorized undertakings, only 7,620,000, or about 59 per cent., were wired for the use of electricity. There are, however, certain factors which may tend to limit the industry's rate of progress. Some part of the success of electricity undertakings during the current period of bad trade, for instance, has been due to the surprising extent to which building activity has been maintained at a relatively high level. And, in the last resort, the industry's future must depend upon its price policy. The suppliers of alternative forms of light and power have recently effected appreciable improvements in the economy and efficiency of their methods of production and distribution and in consumers' equipment; they have increased the attractiveness of their competitive tariffs. Electricity suppliers have not always done the same. Only recently, for example, in order to secure that trading results in 1940 should not show a loss, the London and Home Counties Joint Electricity Authority, which supplies Dorking, Leatherhead, Twickenham, Surbiton and Sutton, have announced an increase of 10 per cent. in rates and the doubling of hiring charges. This is, however, a special case; and, in general, it would seem that the cost of electricity to the consumer is still tending to fall.

THE WEATHER

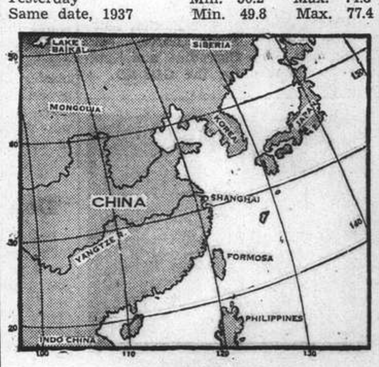
Temperature near Holy Trinity Cathedral
Shanghai 24 hours ending 7 p.m.:—

Yesterday	Min.	52.5	Max.	72.5
Same date, 1937	Min.	56.0	Max.	76.5

Rainfall nil

Temperature at Siccawei:—

Yesterday	Min.	50.2	Max.	74.8
Same date, 1937	Min.	49.8	Max.	77.4



Siccawei's Report

State on the morning of the 21st:—Anticyclone over China and Korea. The typhoon is advancing along the Eastern Coast of Nippon, north-north-eastward. North-westerly to north-easterly winds along the China Coast. Fine to cloudy weather in China.

State on the morning of the 22nd:—Normal anticyclone over China, Korea and Japan.

Probabilities, 4.30 p.m. yesterday:—Cloudy to overcast weather and winds from the Southern quadrant over Northern China. Fine to cloudy and north-westerly to north-easterly winds over our regions, the Eastern Sea and Formosa, Local morning fogs along the Coast.—Siccawei Observatory.

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Japanese Completely Occupy Canton

No Resistance After 2 p.m. and Fires Under Control ; Chinese Prepare Other Defence Lines ; Powers Asked to Remove Men-of-War

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

AS the dawn broke today, the City of Rams reverberated to the thunder of artillery, tanks and the marching feet of thousands of troops as the Chinese retreated through the Capital. The civilians too, evacuated the city throughout the morning.

All morning the explosions of various buildings being blown up echoed through the town while several parts were blazing furiously. Heavy machine-gun fire broke out in Tungshan where the Japanese had reached, and aeroplanes circled over the city causing no damage.

When the British and French in Shameen heard that the Chinese military had deserted Canton they hastily strengthened the naval landing parties and cleared the streets of civilians. Twenty tanks were seen to pass the gates of Shameen flying Japanese flags. The attempt to destroy the Pearl River Bridge by the Chinese was unsuccessful as only one span was damaged.

The Japanese forces entered Canton without inflicting any casualties, but throughout the day shots were heard as the Japanese ridded these sections of stragglers.—Reuter.

Bocca Tigris Forts Abandoned

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

The Bocca Tigris forts were definitely abandoned by Chinese forces forces today, it was learned from authoritative Chinese sources.

With the troops leaving other fortified zones in the vicinity of the forts, there was increased Japanese naval activity.

Twenty Japanese transports loaded with men and field guns were joined by a considerable number of Japanese cruisers and several landings were anticipated along the east shore of the Canton delta.

British naval authorities, who at present are providing the only means of communication between Hongkong and Canton said that probably there will be no further press reports pending the formal occupation of Canton.

Naval reports described refugees in Shameen as gazing with awe yesterday from behind barbed-wire entanglements manned by British and French sailors while the Chinese destruction in the city of Canton was under way.

Fearing that Chinese civilians would attempt to storm the Concession, the British and French authorities barricaded two bridges across the canal separating Shameen from the city.—United Press.

Indo-China Route May be Blocked

Tokyo, Oct. 22.

A semi-official statement on the capture of Canton by the Japanese declares that it is presumed here that the Chinese government will now try to obtain its war material by way of Indo-China. Nevertheless it may be expected, it is added, that this route will very soon be blocked as the result of further action by the Japanese army and navy.—Trans-Ocean.

Said Won By "Silver Bullets"

Tokyo, Oct. 22.

While the Japanese Press rejoices over the fall of Canton as a triumph which is bound to accelerate the collapse of the Chinese Army, rumours are widely current here that the Japanese advance from Bias Bay was preceded by "political work."

Speaking more plainly, some circles express their conviction that the fall of Canton was due less to the difficulties of defending the city than to the use of "silver bullets." This particular angle is not mentioned in the Japanese Press.

Foreign quarters in Tokyo believe that the danger of Anglo-Japanese entanglements in South China, except on a purely diplomatic plane, have been obviated by the fall of Canton.

The "Asahi" says that the fall of Canton possesses great significance as China's principal route for the supply of munitions has thus been cut and an important base for anti-Japanese plots and activites crushed.—Reuter.

Gen. Yu Han-mou Surrenders

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

Gen. Yu Han-mou, Pacification Commissioner of Kwangtung Province, is reported by unofficial Japanese sources to have surrendered.—Reuter.

Leaders Said Surrendered

Tokyo, Oct. 22.

Gen. Yu Han-mou, and other Chinese military leaders, have "finally surrendered themselves to the Japanese forces," according to a Japanese report, which lends credence to rumours that the fall of Canton was an "inside job."

The report, which purports to be based on reliable information from Canton, does not give the identity of the other leaders.—Reuter.

Japanese Enter Business Area

Canton, Oct. 22.

Without a single shot being fired, the Japanese forces commenced to enter the downtown sections of Canton at 2 p.m. today.

Ten minutes later, the officer in charge of the advance detachment drove up to the gates of Shameen, and held a conversation with the British authorities

From daybreak until noon, sporadic rifle and machine-gun fire was audible in Shameen, coming from the eastern sections of the city, where the Japanese were evidently making sure of ridding the buildings of Chinese stragglers before the main sections of the Japanese forces entered.

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"No, It Was Not An Air Raid"

Firework Display Causes Alarm ; Aerial Bursts Traced From Pootung

All eyes were turned skywards yesterday evening and there must have been many stiff necks this morning as a result of this star-gazing on the part of Shanghai's population. There was a reason for it, however, as they all were treated to an intermittent display of fireworks, presumably ignited on the Pootung foreshore opposite the North-China Building.

Commencing at 4.55 p.m. the first intimation of the free display which was to follow came when a loud explosion and a dark black cloud of smoke appeared in the sky over the river. There was a flash followed by another and, not without reason considering the trials and tribulations of Shanghailanders last year, most people came to the instant conclusion that after an absence of many months aeroplanes had once again made the port their objective.

Long intervals of silence followed the first bursts and then more bangs and smoke. By this time most of the residents had been convinced that an air-raid was, indeed, in progress and the editorial staff of the "North-China Daily News" was busily employed answering telephone callers, who had heard and seen the explosions from all points in the city.

There was no doubt, however, that anti-aircraft guns were being fired, although, as there was not a single sign of any engagement over the roofs of the city, it was concluded that blanks were being discharged. This theory was substantiated by the appearance of brown clouds of smoke, at fairly high altitudes. Machine-gun and rifle fire was heard too, but these died away after the initial bursts, and were not heard again. Then came the fireworks.

Pretty Designs

A "North-China Daily News" reporter who watched the display from the roof of the building noticed that many of the bursts were followed by intricately coloured flashes in the shapes of stars and crescents, and this finally convinced him that there was little cause for worry. Evidence in a more convincing form came a little time later as dusk was falling, when he was able to trace the flight of the fireworks from a position directly opposite on the Pootung side of the river.

The pyrotechnic show continued at regular intervals during the evening, and the only reason which one could advance for the disturbance of the peace of mind of the population was that the Japanese wished to celebrate their capture of Canton.

It was interesting to note, as was the case during more troubled periods last year, that all vantage points and specially the roofs of high buildings were occupied by groups of curious spectators. On the streets highly excited Chinese gathered at street corners and an amusing note was struck when one party was seen to be gazing anxiously at the sky from behind the protection of the solid wall of a Bund building. As each burst appeared, however, heads were quickly withdrawn only to re-appear warily as the noise subsided.

Gen. Wu Reported Executed

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

Close on the heels of the Japanese army's occupation of Canton, it was unconfirmedly rumoured in reliable quarters here today that Wu Teh-cheng, mayor of Canton, has been executed by orders of Gen. Yu Han-mou, Pacification Commissioner for Kwangtung Province.—Domei.

Augusta Seaplane Catches Fire

A sensation was caused along the Bund here in Shanghai tonight shortly after 7.30 when, in the midst of the booming fireworks of Japanese celebration, flames were suddenly seen leaping up on the U.S.S. Augusta, moored at her buoys in the middle of the river. Excitement reigned as the flames persisted for nearly ten minutes while the ship's main searchlight was focussed on the blaze. Upon enquiry, the warship said that a spark from the Pootung fireworks had fallen on one of the planes on the port side of the ship and burned a hole in the fabric of one wing. The flames were extinguished by ordinary fire drill methods.

Mr. S. Hidaka, Japanese Consul-General, at 9.50 p.m. yesterday called on Mr. C. E. Gauss, United States Consul-General, in connection with the fire aboard the U.S.S. Augusta, flagship of the American Asiatic Fleet, earlier last night.—Domei.

Political Prisoners in Travancore Release

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Trivandrum, Oct. 22.

The Maharaja of Travancore has ordered the release of all political prisoners sentenced for civil disobedience in connection with the Trovancose State Congress Disobedience Campaign. A notification has been issued, declaring the State Congress to be unlawful, and suspending it from further activity.—Reuter.

Fall of Canton Amazes Britain

Scathing Comment by "The Times" ; Japan Has Long Way to Go

London, Oct. 22.

The swift fall of Canton and the apparent implication that Hankow will shortly follow, have created amazement in Great Britain, where the news is given prominence in the newspapers.

That the end is not yet, is the conclusion drawn by the "Daily Telegraph," which recalls that the Japanese offensive was planned months ago and delayed, owing to the proximity of Hongkong and the fear of international complications.

Evidently, the journal declares, Japan has now resolved that the latter risk is worth taking, in view of the chance it has offered of forcing a decision.

It seems, says the "Daily Telegraph," that Japan is still determined to pursue the war as long as Gen. Chiang Kai-shek remains the head of the Government.

"Endless Pursuit"

Gen. Chiang, whose authority has hitherto been proof against every military disaster, will continue to draw the Japanese farther and farther into the interior in endless pursuit.

While the Japanese, the newspaper continues, are making themselves masters of every strategic point, their grip in the intervening regions, thanks to the indefatigable persistence of the Chinese guerrilla forces, is materially weakening. It is one thing to win pitched battles, the "Daily Telegraph" concludes, but quite another effectively to garrison a country as enormous as China.

Scathing Comment by "The Times"

"The Japanese, whose strength is reported as only two, or perhaps three, divisions, ought never to have had a walk-over of this sort," declares "The Times," in an editorial on the "Debacle of Canton."

The Chinese failure, "The Times" states, is strange as well as humiliating. Its spectacular nature, the paper goes on to say, gives the victorious Japanese political as well as strategic advantages.

Their propagandists, the editorial proceeds, will not neglect the opportunity of charging the Cantonese leaders with treachery to the Central Government, and vice versa, and "on the evidence hitherto available, the first of these charges cannot be ruled out."

Gen. Yu's Doubtful Conduct

Gen. Wu Teh-chen, (Chairman of the Kwangtung Provincial Government), is an official whose loyalty and resolution there has, in the past, been no reason to doubt, "The Times" declares. Gen. Yu Han-mou, however, "hardly seems to have discharged his responsibilities in the hour of his country's need."

If the invasion of Canton had happened when it was planned ten months ago, and had met with the success which crowns it today, the Japanese might reasonably have hoped to engineer a defection of South China, and to conclude a separate peace.

They will probably try to do this now, it is stated, but their prospects will be badly impaired by their own bombers.

"A few nonentities will doubtless be found to form the usual sham administration at Canton, but the province as a whole is likely to prove obdurate, and may, when one or two of its generals have been shot, offer stiff resistance to a further Japanese advance," concludes "The Times."—Reuter.

Deliberate Retreat Seen

London, Oct. 22.

"Canton has fallen. This need not, however, disconcert the Chinese in their stubborn resistance against aggression," states the "News-Chronicle." "The very rapidity of the fall suggests that the Chinese have deliberately retreated from a position which they knew to be untenable against an attack supported by all the strength of the Japanese Navy. The Chinese can make a most effective resistance in the interior of the country."—Havas.

German Press Views

Berlin, Oct. 22.

The fall of Canton was announced by the press here this morning in banner headlines.

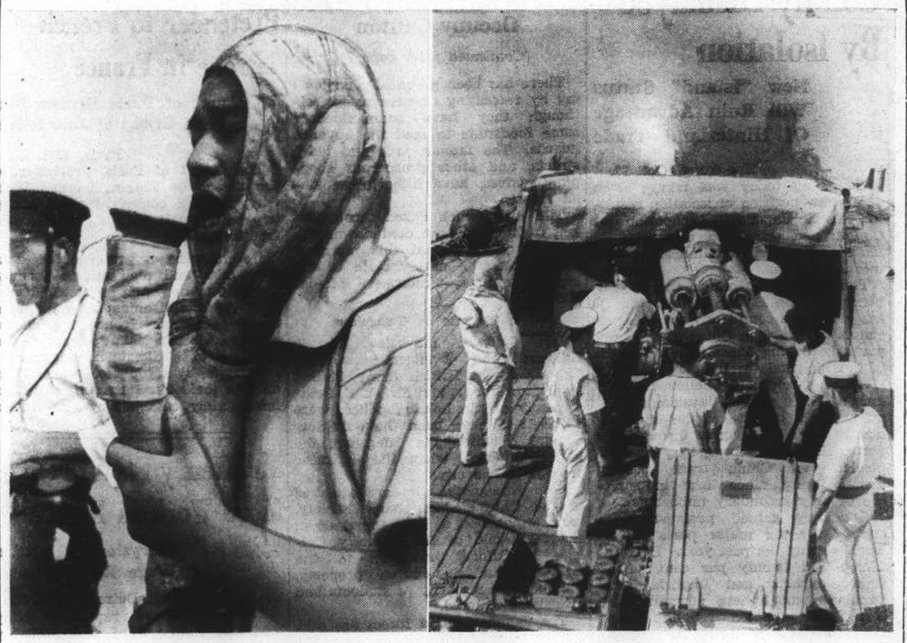
"Canton Occupied by the Japanese Without Resistance" the "Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung" stated, while the "Voelkischer Beobachter" referred to the "Extraordinary Speed of the Canton Conquest."

"General Chiang Kai-shek made many mistakes," the "Berliner Tageblatt" said in its comment on Canton's fall. "He believed that the Japanese could not manage further enterprises on a new field of operations. He believed that the British warning to Japan would be sufficient to prevent Japan from starting an action at the very doors of Hongkong. It is not possible to believe that after this defeat, Gen. Chiang Kai-shek will be able to keep his present position."—Havas.

Washington Reaction

Washington, Oct. 22.

The capture of Canton by Japanese forces is considered here as a threat to American interests, although much less than to British interests.—Havas.



Action on A Japanese Warship in the Yangtze

Japanese sailor on board a Japanese warship in the Yangtze wearing headgear which enables him to transmit orders from the commander to the gunners who, right, have just brought the gun into action against Chinese positions.

Anglo-U.S. Trade Parleys Proceeding Normally

Mr. Cordell Hull Discounts Rumours of Rupture ; London Reported to Have Refused Concessions

Washington, Oct. 22.

RUMOURS of an impending rupture in the trade negotiations between Great Britain and America were dismissed by Mr. Cordell Hull, the Secretary of State, in a press conference yesterday. Mr. Hull added that such stories were caused "by too much conversation in the matter." He stated that negotiations for an agreement were "proceeding normally."—Reuter.

London, Oct. 21.

Despite optimism discerned in official quarters, well-informed circles assert that the serious difficulties now impeding Anglo-American trade parleys may actually compromise the success of the whole undertaking. New demands, formulated recently by the United States delegation, upon the subject of tariff concessions on American products, especially foodstuffs, have caused great surprise here.

After the new claims were studied by the British Cabinet, several of the Ministers said they thought the demands should be accepted for political reasons, it was learnt today. The majority, however, refused, fearing that acceptance of these claims would affect the Dominions for they would oblige Britain to accept similar conditions from other nations with whom she has signed commercial agreements based upon the "most favoured nation" clause.

It is understood that the Government have instructed Sir Ronald Lindsay, Ambassador in Washington, to reject the American proposals in their present form.

According to authoritative circles, the British Government will not make any declaration on this subject, however, until after the November elections in the United States. London does not wish to embarrass the U.S. Government and is ready to make some concessions if the American delegation is ready to modify its demands.—Havas.

U.S.-Canadian Relations

Ottawa, Oct. 21.

Trade experts said here today that the reported hitch in Anglo-American trade treaty negotiations would not necessarily affect current Canadian-American negotiations for a similar treaty.

Experts here said the effect on Canadian-American negotiations would depend largely on the degree to which the two separate bilateral facts were interlocked. They believed if the hitch in Anglo-American negotiations caused a breakdown of present talks, Canadian-American negotiations would be reopened in the light of the new circumstances.—United Press.

Washington Confident

Washington, Oct. 21.

Officials of the United States State Department expressed confidence today that the snarled Anglo-American trade treaty negotiations would soon be cleared.

They admitted that progress in the talks was blocked for nearly a month because of conflicting ideas on tariff concessions. Some progress was registered, they said, in subsequent conversations.

London has failed to reply to the United States on proposals made last month, it was learned. The proposals were termed in some quarters as "a final offer."

Informed circles, however, said that the British Cabinet had been occupied with other matters and had no time to answer suggestions made.

American Proposals

Difficulties have arisen over Britain's unwillingness to grant further tariff concessions to American automobiles, silk stockings, hams, bacons, lard and timber, American sources said.

The United States was reported to have pressed a request for a ten per cent. tariff remission on automobiles so as to obtain the same favoured treatment as British Empire automobiles. As an alternative, the United States suggested the raising of tariff on other foreign made cars to 43 per cent.

This suggestion was impossible Britain was reported to have replied because under the present most favoured nation agreements Britain would be forced to make the same concession to all other foreign countries except Germany.—United Press.

Britain's Reserve Of Gold Adequate

Interesting Figures Compiled on Question By "Economist"

London, Oct. 21.

In view of the persistent weakness of sterling in terms of dollars, the question of the adequacy of British gold reserves at present is one of the principal preoccupations of the City.

The following interesting calculation for discussion was contributed by the "Economist" today:

On March 31, the Exchange Equalization Fund held £297,800,000 in gold valued at 140/- per ounce. During the next two months, French repatriations caused a loss of approximately £65,000,000.

In addition, during August and September, the next loss sustained, computed the journal, was £100,000,000, making a total loss of £165,000,000, and reducing the Exchange Equalization Fund's reserve to £130,000,000 at 140/-, or roughly £140,000,000 at 146/- per ounce.

Vast Sum of Free Gold

If the £65,000,000 worth of gold, which was transferred to the Bank of England in 1936, be used to replenish the resources of the Exchange accounts and their value be written up from 85/- to 140/- per ounce, their sterling equivalent would become £107,000,000.

We still have £250,000,000 worth of free gold, the "Economist" concludes, without having to draw from the Bank of England's reserves, which themselves are £110,000,000, even at the statutary price, above the Cunliffe Committee's minimum of £150,000,000.

There need not be any nervousness about the inadequacy of gold reserves.—Reuter.

M. Paul-Emile Naggiar Goes to Moscow

Paris, Oct. 22.

The Cabinet decided at this morning's meeting that M. Paul-Emile Naggiar, the Ambassador to China, be appointed to Moscow to replace M. Robert Coulondre, who has been shifted to Berlin.

M. Erik Labonne, present Ambassador to Republican Spain, will become the new Resident-General in Tunisia. M. Jules Henry, head of the Foreign Minister's secretariat, will replace M. Labonne in Barcelona.—Havas.

France Investigating Spy Activities

Paris, Oct. 22.

The famous "Deuxieme Bureau," one of the world's finest counter-espionage organization hinted today of a nation-wide spy round-up leading to sensational evidence against the Italian O.V.R.A., secret police.

Arrests in the past 38 hours, it is believed in many quarters, foreshadow a national scandal and that the follow-up will reveal ties between the police and the Fascist spy ring.—United Press.

Jerusalem "Purge" Grimly Pursued

Arabs Showing Greater Desire for Parleys on Issue with Britain

Jerusalem, Oct. 22.

The Arabs have begun to replenish transport and fuel supplies by commandering unescorted tank waggons. One of these was held up near Jaffa yesterday, when the Arabs drove it away and later returned it empty.

It was been officially announced that troops are strictly prohibited from shooting in the area of the Mosque of Omar, while shooting near other Moslem places of worship is permitted only if it is return fire.

Curfew in the old city is being lifted today for six hours, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning, to enable exit from and entry to the city.—Reuter.

Bread Brought to Needy

Jerusalem, Oct. 21.

British military details continued to make house to house searches in the Old City today. British soldiers complained that Arab rebels were firing at them from the sanctuary of mosques. Maj-General O'Connor reiterated his command that British troops must not fire at mosques.

French convent sisters did gallant work and were welcomed by hundreds of hungry residents who stayed home behind barred doors in keeping with the strict 24 hour curfew. The sisters calmly walked through the streets carrying bread to the homes.

Meanwhile, a wave of scattered Arab rebel attacks on Jewish settlements was reported. There were shootings and bombings at Haifa and Samaria and the southern districts. Sabotage was also reported at these points.—United Press.

Anglo-Arab Parleys

London, Oct. 21.

Unofficial contacts between the Colonial Office and the Grand Mufti of Jerusalem are maintained even now, but official Anglo-Arab negotiations will not be launched before the latter part of November, Havas learned today.

The Grand Mufti has been informed that no parleys may be held before at least a fortnight, authoritative quarters declare. Political circles assert that the British Government are not in a hurry to begin negotiations because the desire to start conversations is growing among the Arabs.

Recent, strict military measures taken throughout Palestine are believed responsible for the Arabs' increasing wish to launch parleys.

The Woodhead Commission's report upon the Holy Land has not yet been handed to the Government. This permits the Cabinet to adopt no policy contrary to that followed to the present time. Furthermore, the Government do not wish to begin conversations with the Arabs before order is re-established in Palestine.

It is foreseen that the Grand Mufti, whose prestige has grown since his exile to Syria, may be the head of the Arab delegation when parleys are actually begun. The delegation is expected to represent the Moslem and Christian populations, labour organization and the political group called the "National Palestinian Bloc." Representatives of the various Arab movements are already in London and are giving the Grand Mufti their co-operation in his unofficial negotiations, it is understood.—Havas.

Pan-Arab Pleas to U.S.

Washington, Oct. 21.

Fifteen delegates and representatives of three Pan-Arab associations called upon the Secretary of State, Mr. Cordell Hull, today and handed him three petitions.

One was addressed to President Franklin D. Roosevelt and demanded that the U.S. Government maintain their traditional policy of avoiding political entanglements abroad especially with regard to Palestine, despite the "repeated demands of certain American Jewish organizations."—Havas.

New Expropriations By Mexico Feared

New Orleans, Oct. 21.

Bishop John Mark Gannon, chairman of the American Bishops' Committee appointed to handle Mexican affairs, predicted here today that the Mexican Government would extend its policy of confiscating foreign owned properties in Mexico. He predicted that properties of mining interests and other foreign capitalistic holdings would be taken over without compensation by the Mexican regime.—United Press.

Japanese Agree to Establishing Three Refugee Zones in Canton

British and American Consular Officials Press For Facilities, Pledging Chinese Assurances

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

The Japanese Government has agreed to establish three refugee zones in Canton, it was officially announced by the Japanese Consulate-General here today.

The Japanese agreed to establish the camps for the refugees following recent requests for the formation of such special areas by the American and British consular officials in Canton. The Trinity School, the Hackett Memorial Hospital and the Canton Hospital have been chosen as the central points of the three refugee zones.

In their request for the establishment of such zones, the American and British consular officials asked the Japanese authorities to mark the areas out of bounds to Japanese soldiers. The foreign consular officials said that they would obtain assurances from the Chinese authorities that no Chinese soldiers would be permitted near the zones. The refugee zones will be used to house women, children and aged non-combatants.

The American-owned Lingnan University was also chosen for a refugee zone. Half of the university's American staff is on the premises. The Americans said that they would be willing to care for the refugees.

Mr. T. V. Soong, former Minister of Finance and Chairman of the Board of the Bank of China, today handed Bishop Hall Hk.$50,000 for use in refugee zones in Canton. Bishop Hall has led foreign efforts to create a safety zone in Canton for Chinese refugees. Mr. Soong told Bishop Hall that he would secure another Hk.$50,000 for the refugees within a few hours.—United Press.

Vast British Arms Plan

Mr. Hore-Belisha, War Secretary, Declares Wartime Methods Essential ; New Defence Ministries

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

London, Oct. 22.

TO obtain appreciable enlargement, within the given time, of Great Britain's armament programme, it would be necessary to revive the wartime method under which every other consideration was subordinated, said Mr. Leslie Hore-Belisha, Secretary of State for War, in a speech at Cardiff last night. He added that ground defences against aircraft attacks were the "Maginot Line" of Great Britain.

They were manned by the Territorial Army, he stated, and the recent European crisis had shown that they could all be in their war positions within 24 hours, and a large number of them even in twelve hours.—Reuter.

London, Oct. 21.

A White Paper and a Government statement will be issued shortly after Parliament resumes its sittings, to announce an extraordinary increase in armament expenditure, it was learnt here today.

Administrative, financial and military measures are also foreseen.

Altogether, this activity is expected to show that there is no doubt but that Great Britain intends to become stronger and will not balk at expenses estimated now as likely to scale the £1,500,000,000 to £2,500,000,000 marks and perhaps even as much as £3,000,000,000.

All the questions that Members of Parliament earlier wished to put forward to the Government have now been withdrawn, it being understood that the Government intend to make a public statement upon the new rearmament programme.

This declaration is anticipated immediately after the King's address from The Throne, officially opening the new session.

New Cabinet Departments

The reinforcement of national defence departments in the Government is considered inevitable. And the first step, politicians declare, would be the appointment of a Chief of National Service, entrusted with recruitment and the creation of a National Register of all men.

The names of the ministerial successors to Mr. Alfred Duff-Cooper, who resigned from the post as First Lord of the Admiralty, and the late Lord Stanley, who was Dominions Secretary, may be made known only after the next Cabinet meeting. Political quarters also said that they would not be surprised if Mr. Neville Chamberlain intended to reinforce his Government by creating new National Defence departments. The Munitions and Recruiting Departments are two that may be established, it is understood.

Air Ministry Reform

The Air Ministry announced today that it had concluded an agreement with the Vickers-Armstrong firm upon the establishment of a new system for the co-ordinated placement of air contracts with the various plants in the country. These latter contracts will provide for individual manufacture of spare parts which are then to be assembled in a central plant to be set up and controlled by Vickers.

The Cardiff Municipal Council is studying the possibility of building a large graving-dock destined to facilitate, in case of war, repairs to big ships forced to use East England ports.—Havas.

Egypt Will Strengthen Armed Forces

Army of 100,000 Men Anticipated by 1941

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Cairo, Oct. 22.

The Government contemplates a considerable increase in the armed forces of Egypt, and it is estimated that by 1941 the army will number 100,000 men, with 200 modern aeroplanes, it is learned from official sources.

It is understood that the Government will shortly recognize the Italian conquest of Abyssinia, and send a Consul to Addis Ababa, while Italy is said to be willing to settle the Coptic Church dispute in accordance with Egypt's wishes.—Reuter.

France Uninformed on Reich Colonies Claims

Cession of Cameroons Considered Error

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Paris, Oct. 22.

Despite rumours to the contrary, Reuter is informed in authoritative quarters that France has no official cognizance of any German claims or aspirations regarding ex-German colonies.

The colonial question, hitherto, has not been raised in the press here, but divergent opinions exist among ministers and legislators.

While a small number of ministers and legislators, it is stated, are ready to yield to German's colonial claims, the majority consider that the cession of the Cameroons would be a grave error from the viewpoint of strategy.

Well-informed quarters state that the League of Nations would have to be consulted before France could surrender her mandate.

Political circles here consider that all German demands for the colonies should be resisted.—Reuter.

Latest Exchange

The closing Interbank selling rates yesterday were as follows:

Sterling 8d. U.S.$ 15⅜c.

LONDON METALS AND N.Y. CROSS RATE

London, Oct. 22.

Slightly lower prices for silver were fixed in London today, with quotations being recorded as follows:—

	Oct. 21	Oct. 22
London spot	19⅜d.	19 11/16d.
" forward	19 9/16d.	19½d.
" gold	146/2½d.	146/1½d.

London/New York:

One pound	U.S.$4.75 11/16	$4.75 13/16
One U.S. dollar	50.454d.	50.440d.

—Reuter.

Italy Confident of British Pact

Spanish Republican Envoy Alleges New German, Italian Intervention

Rome, Oct. 22.

Italian circles believe that the ratification of the Agreement between Great Britain and Italy will immediately follow the reassembly of British Parliament on November 1.

All details connected with ratification were understood to have been completed when Lord Perth, the British Ambassador in Rome, saw Count Galeazzo Ciano, the Foreign Minister, a week ago.

It is believed that the announcement of ratification by Great Britain will be followed by an immediate acknowledgement on the part of Signor Mussolini, who will reaffirm Italy's disavowal of territorial ambitions in Spain.

It is also understood that the Italian Government will give assurances that it will proceed to complete the withdrawal of volunteers from Spain proportionately as volunteers are drawn from the other side.

Italy now considers that the insurgent commander, General Franco, is sure of victory without further assistance from Italy.—Reuter.

Republican Accusation

London, Oct. 21.

Twenty-five Italian and German aviation officers passed through Gibraltar into Rebel Spanish territory on October 13, Senor Pablo de Azcarate, Republican Ambassador here, revealed in a special communique today.

"On October 13," he stated, "twenty-five Italian and German passengers landed in Gibraltar from an Italian ship.

"Although, according to their passports they were professional men, an aviation officer's uniform found in the baggage of one of them was clear proof that they were aviators.

"These men left immediately for Rebel (Nationalist) territory.

"The Spanish Government (Republican) are certain that the British Government will attribute very special importance to this event, coinciding as it does with the ostentatous embarcation of 10,000 Italians (for Naples), the real significance of which is now revealed in all its clarity."—Havas.

Control Officer Interned

Oslo, Oct. 21.

Control officer of the Non-Intervention Committee, Mr. Jacobsen, Norwegian, disappeared today while en route to London, and, according to his wife, he is now in a German concentration camp.

Mr. Jacobsen, a merchant marine officer by profession, was arrested near Osnabruck, the Norwegian Consulate at Hamburg reported today.

He was taken into custody after a dispute with German officials who demanded that he make an extra payment for his train trip in a class higher than the one shown on his ticket. The case was brought up in court and the prosecuting attorney demanded a sentence of one month in jail.

The Norwegian Consulate is now trying to obtain Mr. Jacobsen's release.—Havas.

King George to Receive I.L.O. Members

Entertainments for Delegates Attending 85th Session

London, Oct. 22.

On Monday afternoon the King will receive at Buckingham Palace members of the governing body of the International Labour Organization, assembled in London for its 85th Session, at which Mr. F. W. Leggett, Principal Assistant Secretary at the Ministry of Labour, and the British delegate at numerous International Labour Organization meetings over several years, will preside.

In the evening, Mr. Ernest Brown, Minister of Labour will be in the chair. There will also be a government reception at Lancaster House on Thursday evening in connection with the meeting.

Other dinners in honour of the meeting will be given by the Lord Mayor at the Guildhall and jointly by the National Confederation of Employers Organizations and the Trades Union Congress. At the conclusion of the session it has been arranged for the delegates to visit the Empire Exhibition at Glasgow.—Wireless through Reuter.

Kemal Ataturk Definitely Better

Istanbul, Oct. 22.

Kemal Ataturk, President of Turkey, who had been gravely ill, spent a very good day yesterday and his general condition continued to improve, according to a bulletin issued at 8 o'clock last night. Only one bulletin on the President's condition will now be issued daily.—Reuter.

Bucharest Police Arrest Ten Communists

Bucharest, Oct. 21.

Police discovered a Communist propaganda centre in the heart of the capital today, and by carrying out a swift raid, succeeded in arresting ten persons suspected of connection with the Communist establishment.—Havas.

More Advance on Hankow

Last Boom About to be Broken, 70 Km. Distant; As Army Nears City Virtually Empty

Hankow, Oct. 22.

RUMOURS were in circulation here today that Japanese troops had made further advances towards this city. Japanese warships were said to have passed the boom between Hwangfeng and Ocheng, 95 km. downstream below Hankow and to be about to break the boom at Twanfeng, 70 km. down the river from Hankow.

Japanese troops sent to take possession of Hankow and Changsha in the south have arrived in the neighbourhood of the town of Sienning. Very early in the morning Japanese airmen began a tremendous action against Hankow.

The evacuation of Hankow was almost complete today. The town of Wuchang on the south bank of the Yangtse opposite Hankow was also evacuated.

The Chinese forces on the northern and southern banks of the Yangtze were said to be in full retreat yesterday according to reports from Japanese sources.

It is also reported that over 1,000,000 Chinese soldiers are being threatened with annihilation and divisions of Central Government troops, are disbanding and withdrawing.

All trains on the Canton-Hankow Railway and the Chekiang-Kiangsi Railway are overcrowded with retreating troops while the same can be said of every ship making its way upsteam from Hankow.—Trans-Ocean.

36 Japanese Planes Bomb Wuhan

Hankow, Oct. 22.

A major air raid took place in the Wuhan Cities this morning, when stations at Wuchang and Hankow were subjected to heavy bombing.

Thirty-six Japanese bombers participated in the raid, 18 planes attacking the vicinity of the Wuchang station and starting several fires. Eighteen others concentrated on the small station at Kilometre 10 on the Hankow side a mile below the Japanese Concession.

Reuter's Correspondent visited the scene, where at least a dozen bombs were dropped, demolishing houses and tearing up railway tracks.

Three railway coaches were in flames and the watertower was damaged. "I witnessed the usual harrowng sights of weeping, hysterical women and children," he reports.

"The casualties were relatively small but the dead and dying presented a most ghastly sight."

Chiang Declared in Hankow

Hankow, Oct. 22.

Reports circulated in Hongkong to the effect that Gen. Chiang Kai-shek had left Hankow for Changsha are completely untrue, Reuter was informed today by a responsible official. The Generalissimo was seen in his office here this morning.

The additional report that Mme. Chiang had gone to Chungking are also denied. Reuter's Correspondent spoke to her for 20 minutes this morning, when she declared, "I most certainly am not in Chungking, and my husband is not in Changsha."

Poor Evacuate From Hankow

The Chinese population continues to evacuate Hankow, utilizing every available means of transport. Pathetic scenes were witnessed on the outskirts of the city today, when a procession of over 1,000 rickshaws, which a few days ago were commandeered, carried poorer classes of refugees to the interior.

Arrangements are being made for the evacuation of nearly 5,000 of these unfortunates to Shasi, about 115 miles west of Hankow, and the trek by rickshaw along the dusty road is expected to last many days.

Among the foreign community the normal daily routine continues, and, except for the high cost of living and the shortage of certain luxuries, it is difficult to realise that warfare is almost at their dors.

River Above Hankow to Be Closed

Rumours persist throughout Hankow that the river above Hankow is shortly to be closed.

In this connection, the British gunboat Peterel left Ichang for Hankow this morning, instead of at the end of the month, as was scheduled.

Ichang, however, it is believed, will only be left without a British gunboat for a short period, as the Gannet will proceed there as soon as the Falcon reaches Chungking.

H.M.S. Tern will also hurry back to Ichang, when she has transferred the British diplomatic mission now on its way to Chungking on to the gunboat Falcon.

Father Jacquinot Returns

Father Jacquinot returned to Hankow from Chungking at 8.30 o'clock last night. The aeroplane carrying him was due at 6 p.m., but was delayed owing to air raid alarms, which caused the pilot to take a circuitous route.

Dr. H. H. Kung intimated to the French priest that funds would be forthcoming, but pointed out that formal recognition of such a zone rested with the military authorities in the Wuhan area. It is understood that Father Jacquinot has since contacted them. He said to Reuter, "Hankow refugees will be well taken care of," then hurried off to see the French Consul.—Reuter.

Bombing Operations

In an official announcement by the command of the Japanese China Seas Fleet, it was revealed that the foremost Japanese naval units on the Yangtze had advanced to a point slightly upstream from Hwangfeng, opposite Ocheng. The units, according to the communiqué, covered more than ten nautical miles in a single day.

Both banks of the river, the communiqué added, have been cleared of Chinese.

The communiqué also announced Japanese naval aircraft participated in a series of raids on Chinese position both to the north and south of the river. Tungshan, in southeastern Hupeh, southwest of Yangsin, was almost reduced to ruins by naval bombers.

Other sectors within the Chinese defence lines were also bombed the communiqué said. These included areas north of the Yangtze including Macheng, Yuanmong, Sanhokow Chiliang and Chunkwan.

Gen. Chiang Kai-shek Said at Hongkong

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

Reliable sources declared today that Generalissimo, accompanied by Mme Chiang Kai-shek, Mr. Wang Chung-hui, Foreign Minister, and Mr. Wang Ching-wei, Chairman of the Central Executive Committee, arrived here today by aeroplane.

The Chinese leaders purportedly are to meet the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald John Clark Kerr, and discuss possible peace terms with Japan.—United Press.

World Trade Chamber Wants Appeasement

Political Adjustments Must Go with Economic

Paris, Oct. 22.

The Board of the International Chamber of Commerce met yesterday, presided over by Thomas J. Watson. The following resolution was unanimously passed:

"The International Chamber of Commerce is deeply grateful to the statesmen who by their resolute action prevented war. There exists today the possibility for a comprehensive settlement of the difficulties. This chance must not be allowed to pass unused. For a real settlement it is not enough to solve the political problems but necessary to deal with the most important economic questions. The interest of everyone concerned demands co-operation and not conflict. The International Chamber of Commerce appeals therefore to all governments and especially to the leading economic powers to start without delay on a policy of friendly collaboration of their economic systems. We have to face the world as it is and must immediately act accordingly."

Representatives of industry, trade and finance, from 23 countries took part in the meeting, coming from the United States, Argentina, Belgium, Bulgaria, Denmark, Germany, Finland, France, French Africa, Greece, Great Britain, Indo-China, Italy, Japan, Latvia, the Netherlands, Norway, Poland, Sweden, Switzerland, Spain, Czechoslovakia and Hungary.—Trans-Ocean.

Col. and Mrs. Price Honoured

Colonel and Mrs. Charles F. B. Price were the guests of honour at an extremely successful reception and dinner party held by the American Association in the Columbia Country Club yesterday evening. A large crowd of prominent local Americans, as well as naval and marine officers, and their ladies attended.

Col. Price, retiring Commanding Officer of the Fourth Regiment United States Marines Corps, and Mrs. Price sail tomorrow in the new Jardine steamer Taisang for North China, where they are to spend a brief holiday. They will be returning to Shanghai about the middle of November and, after a week's stay or so, will leave for Washington, D.C., where Col. Price will take up his new post.

Colony Dismayed By Isolation

New "Island" Status Will Ruin Advantage Of Hinterland Trade

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

Hongkong today was taking stock of its new position of isolation resulting from Japanese occupation of Canton and coincident disruption of land, air and sea communication with interior China.

This is the first time in the 97-year history of the British Colony that it has ever been completely cut off from China. Trade with China ceased only partially during the Chinese boycott of British goods in 1927.

British circles here believed Hongkong's 13,000 British residents face virtual ruin because of the interruption of trade with China through this port. Hongkong's prosperity has depended on China trade passing through here, since local industries are of only secondary importance.

Hongkong gained prominence as one of the six major ports of the world during the past year. Between fifteen and twenty per cent. of all China exports and imports were handled through here normally, and this figure mounted rapidly during the Sino-Japanese hostilities of the past year when other points of entry into China were occupied by Japanese.

Chinese Arms Stranded

As a result of the sudden disruption of communications with the interior, considerable amounts of Chinese war materials have been stranded here. It is believed such shipments will be sent to Indo-China for transportation to south-west China. Fifteen thousand British and American motor trucks consigned for delivery to the Chinese Government were stranded here by the Japanese occupation of the Kowloon railway. Aeroplanes, tanks, guns and munitions also were waiting here for shipment to Hankow.

Hongkong was stunned today by the rapidity of the Japanese march across 130 miles of hostile Chinese territory to Canton within nine days after the Japanese landing at Bias Bay. The city apparently will experience the same type of sudden depression which hit Shanghai after Japanese occupation of Chinese areas surrounding Shanghai's foreign areas.

Hongkong had profited greatly during the past year at Shanghai's expense, since most shipping which ordinarily would have entered China through Shanghai was diverted to Hongkong. The heavy influx of refugees into Hongkong promoted an prosperous real estate boom. It was believed landlords would continue to profit here, however, because wealthy Chinese refugees probably will remain here indefinitely.—United Press.

Lumber Shop Robbed

Three men, two with pistols, entered a lumber shop at 34 Peiho Road at about 6 o'clock yesterday evening and stole jewellery and clothing to the total value of $200. The robbers, who used both the before the alarm could be raised Kompo and Shanghai dialects, fled and without firing.

Herr Ernst Freud Asks To Be British

London, Oct. 22.

Herr Ernst Freud, son of the world famous psychoanalist, Dr. Sigmund Freud, has applied for British citizenship. Dr. Freud, accompanied by his family, left Austria after the anschluss.—Havas.

Japanese Completely Occupy Canton

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There has been practically no looting by retreating Chinese troops, although they have commandeered some foodstuffs to feed the advance guards. The famous jade and ivory streets, and other prosperous shopping centres, have hitherto remained intact.

The fires which raged throughout last night have now died down, and the city was normal this morning, apart from the untidy state of the streets, and an atmosphere of desertion.

Two Britons in Tungshan

Two Britons, the Rev. N. V. Halward and a former wartime Captain in the British Army, hailing from Canterbury, and Mr. A. E. Peile, formerly of the London police, were believed to have been the only foreigners remaining in Tungshan, the eastern district, when the Japanese entered in the city.

Both foreigners, who are attached to the Church Missionary Society, were understood to have remained in the compound of Holy Trinity College to afford protection to the occupants and to church property, although the majority of students had already evacuated.

The Japanese main forces are said to be concentrated at Shaho, on the highway seven miles to the east of Canton, are expected to enter the city some time today.—Reuter.

Powers Asked to Move Ships

Diplomatic representatives of third Powers were requested yesterday by Japanese naval authorities to take steps to have foreign vessels moved to anchorages away from Canton and Hankow in order to avoid possible incidents while the hostilities are going on in those zones, reports Domei

Vessels now on the Pearl River or adjacent streams should take refuge in the open sea or in the upper reaches of the river far away from Canton, the Japanese authorities suggested in a statement distributed among the diplomatic corps through Mr. Masayuki Tani, Minister-at-Large

Ships of third Powers now in the vicinity of Hankow were warned to proceed to a point about ten nautical miles upstream from the Wuhan capital by Saturday midnight, in view of the fact that bombing operations were expected to be carried out in the vicinity of Hankow.

Chinese Rush Defence Works

Chinese troops were rushing construction of defence works round Yingtak, more than 100 km. north of Canton, and at Yungyun, 50 km. farther northwest, with the apparent intention of attempting to stem the Japanese invasion of Kwangtung in those sectors, according to Domei reports from the southern front yesterday.

A nearer defence line linking Tsungfa, about 57 km. northeast of Canton, and Fahsien, was not expected to be held by the Chinese forces which retreated from the Kwangtung capital without a battle. Preparations also appeared to be under way in the vicinity of Shakowyu, 40 km. northwest of Yingtak, for a stand against the Japanese northward thrust.

Leaders of the Kwangtung Government were said to have fled to Yungyun, Shaochow and Lokchong.

The "last site" of the government offices probably will be Namyung, near the Kwangtung-Kiangsi border, Domei reports from the south stated.

British and American authorities in Canton proposed the establishment of safety zones for refugees. The Tokyo Foreign Office instructed Mr. Toyoichi Nakamura, Consul-General in Hongkong, to accept the proposed plan on "certain conditions," the report said. It was proposed that the safety zones should be created around Lingnan University, Trinity School, Hackett Memorial Hospital and Canton Hospital.

Tank units which led the entry into Canton Friday afternoon drove night and day toward the City of Rams ever since their landing on the coast of Bias Bay at dawn on October 12.

These tank units, after taking Tamshui, reached a point 24 km. from Waichow on October 17. After scattering Chinese troops ten kilometres west of Futienhsu the following day the column continued westward and encountered no organized resistance during the remaining two days and nights required to reach the walls of Canton.—Domei.

Pretender to French Throne in France

Count of Paris Braves Ban To See Group of Journalists

Paris, Oct. 21.

The Count of Paris, pretender to the throne of France, banned from entry into the country, made a secret trip to a small village within the frontiers today.

He gathered a group of selected journalists and read out to them a declaration in which he asserted that only the establishment of a kingdom could avoid for France the choice between decline as a power or the adoption of a dictatorial regime.

Arriving by aeroplane, he took time only to make his statement and then immediately left again by air.—Havas.

Mr. Henry Ford to Give More Work in Plants

Chrysler to Restore Wage Reductions

Detroit, Oct. 22.

Trade observers reported today that Mr. Henry Ford will probably call an additional 35,000 workers back to his automobile plants in the next few days. The addition will bring the huge plant to peak production. The automobile business, generally, is at its highest level of the year at present.—United Press.

Chrysler to Restore Cuts

Detroit, Oct. 22.

The President of Chrysler Motor Corporation, Mr. J. Keller, announced today that the company is restoring all salary reductions made on employees receiving less than U.S.$300 a month.—United Press.

Prague Officially Denies Demarche to Soviets

Prague, Oct. 22.

That the Foreign Office had informed the Soviet Minister in Prague that the Soviet-Czechoslovak Agreement of 1935 was no longer valid was officially denied here today.—Reuter.

Britain Unaffected by German Trade Pacts

Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare Comments on Appeasement

London, Oct. 22.

The conclusion of trade and economic treaties between Germany and her Central European neighbours should not worry Great Britain, was a statement made by Mr. Geoffrey Shakespeare, Parliamentary and Financial Secretary of the Admiralty, speaking last night in Norwich.

It will be good for Europe if Germany buys up the surplus of products of her neighbours who otherwise might appear as competitors to the British Empire on the world market, he declared.

Turning to the latest political developments in Europe, the speaker was of the opinion that war was not prevented by the early mobilization of the British Navy but because Germany for the first time had seen the Prime Minister of a great country, the leader of an Empire, ready to help in abolishing an injustice which had become a menace to peace.

"It should be our policy to secure peace by removing the causes of war," Mr. Shakespeare concluded. "This policy has its dangers, but I would sooner take these risks than go with Mr. Churchill whose policy, I believe, would throw the world into war."—Trans-Ocean.

Eire to Strengthen Defence

Berlin, Oct. 22.

The Eire Government are preparing a reinforcement of the country's national defence, well-informed circles here announced today. The Government will ask Parliament for extraordinary credits amounting to £600,000, when the Dail resumes its sittings next.—Havas.

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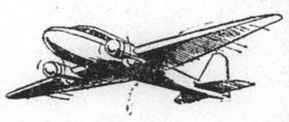

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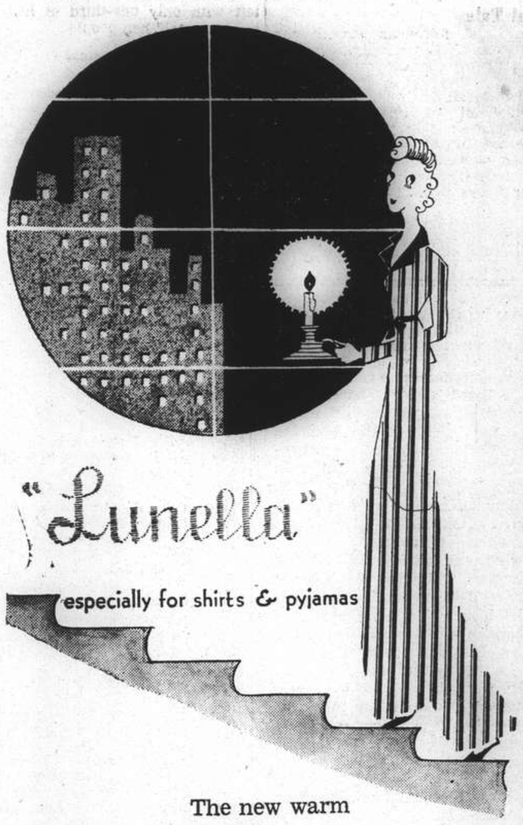

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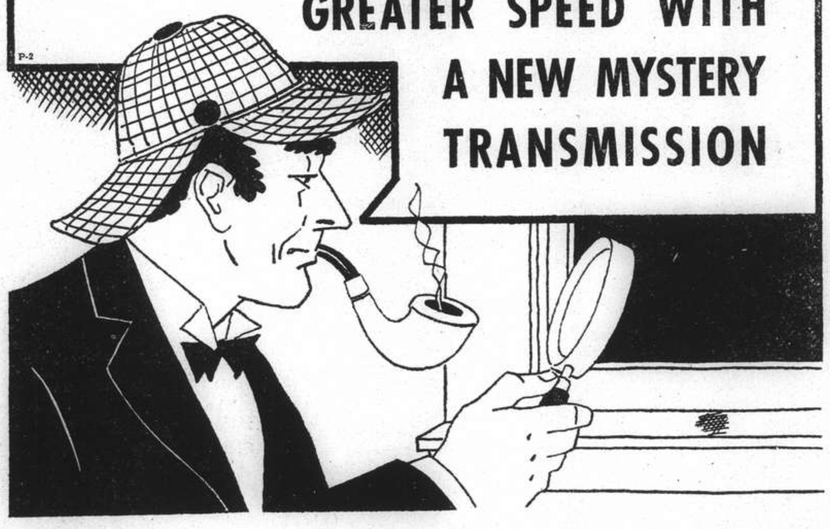

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Land of the Free

BCJSZ: I hear that one-fourth of the United States is covered with forests.

Pryce: Yes, and I hear that the other three-fourths is covered with mortgages.

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Silver Lining

"WHAT'S the good of having a time-table if your buses are always late?" exclaimed the indignant traveler.

"Well," said the conductor, "how would you know they were late if you didn't have a time-table?"

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If at All

A SCHOOL teacher found the following answer in a batch of exercise books recently:—

"Profanity' is the name given to the bad language used by gentlemen. Among ordinary people it is called swearing."

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Sons of the Soil

"WHAT'S Dick doing now?"

"Well, Dick's a cattle salesman."

"And William?"

"He's a minister."

"And Tom?"

"Tom is in politics."

"And you?"

"I'm farming—and feeding Dick, Tom, and William."

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Cost of Smoke

THE cost of the incense and sandal wood, burnt in worship during the Mid-Autumn Festival, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao," is estimated to have totalled the round sum of $2,180,000. This sum of money, the report adds, if contributed to the Chinese Government, would have enabled the purchase of ten more fighting 'planes.

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No Gent.

"MR. Jones," a man asked his tailor, "how is it you haven't called on me for my account?"

"Oh, I never ask a gentleman for money."

"Indeed. How, then, do you get on if he doesn't pay?"

"Why," replied the tailor, "after a certain time I conclude he's not a gentleman and then I ask him."

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Marital Note

SAID the American police sergeant. "Did you give the prisoner the third degree?"

"Yes," replied the constable. "We browbeat him, badgered him, and asked him every question we could think of."

"And what did he do?"

"He dozed off, and merely said: 'Yes, dear, you are perfectly right'."

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Usual Tale

THE usual fisherman sat on the usual bank of the usual stream when the usual traveller approached him.

"How're they biting?" asked the traveller sociably.

"Not at all," sighed the fisherman. "As a matter of fact, there isn't a single fish in this whole stream."

"Then why are you fishing here?"

"Because it pays me. Look at the money I save on bait!"

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Crystal Clear

MR. Perks decided to give himself a present.

"I want a pair of spec-rimmed hornicles," he told the proprietor of the shop he entered, "I mean spornrimmed spectacles—er—I ought to say heck-rimmed spornacles."

"I know exactly what you mean," said the shopkeeper. "Mr. Johnson, show Mr. Perks some rimmed-horn hectacles."

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Don't Slam It

A YOUNG man who had got his degree had been looking around successively for a position for employment, and for a job. Entering an office he asked to see the manager, and while waiting he said to the office-boy, "Do you suppose there is any opening here for a University Graduate?"

"Well, there will be," was the reply, "if the boss don't raise me salary to 10s. a week by tomorrer."

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Statistical Note

A VISITOR to a fishing village was making a tour of the district with his host.

"What do these people live on?" he asked, indicating a group of dull-looking fishermen.

"Fish, mostly," replied his host.

The visitor looked surprised.

"But I thought fish was supposed to be brain food," he said. "These people are some of the most dull-witted specimens I've ever seen."

"Well," returned the host, shrugging his shoulders, "just think what they would look like if they didn't eat fish."

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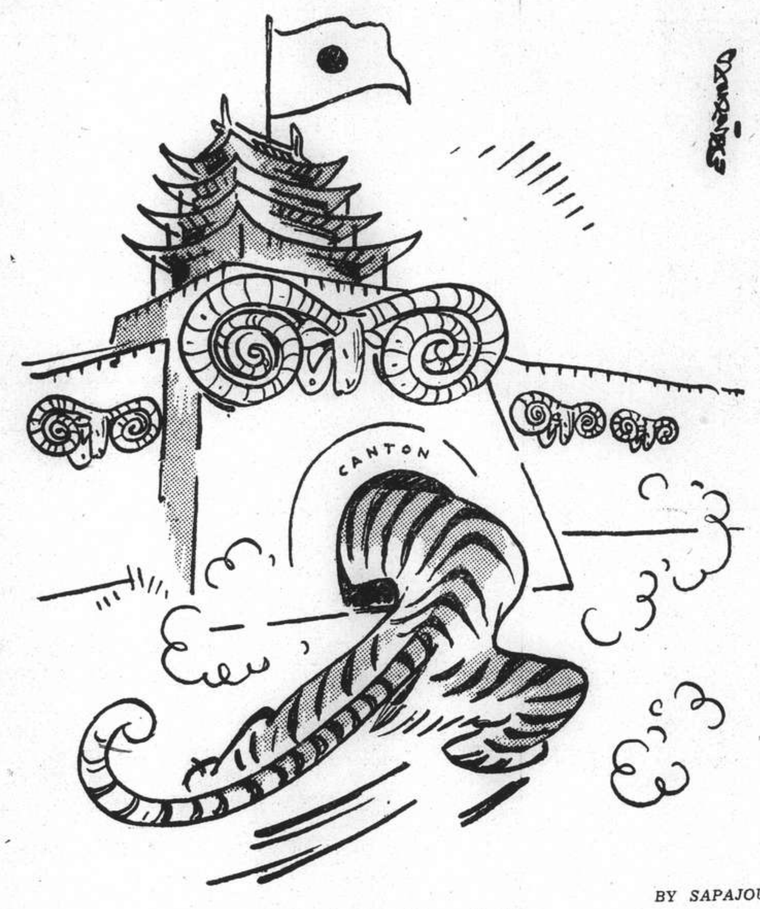
Poet and Wolf

FROM time to time, persons of importance in the literary world have expressed concern over the current glut of printed words. It is feared there is, or will be, an overproduction of literature. There even has been suggestion that government undertake a programme of "plowing under," but, differing in its attitude toward little poems and other pieces from its treatment of little pigs, the new deal has encouraged rather than retarded the crop. A hopeful view is that the stuff all, or at least most of it, serves a purpose. A wide use, perhaps the widest, is illustrated in an incident told by Lord Macmillan, British privy councillor at the annual dinner of the American Bar association. One time, so the eminent jurist said, Alfred Austin, English poet laureate, attended a dinner at which Lord Young, a remarkable judge of the Scottish bench, also was present. Someone introduced Austin to Lord Young, who looked at the bard from under bushy eyebrows and said:

"Well, Poet Laureate, are you writing much poetry just now?"

"Oh, not very much," replied Austin, "just enough to keep the wolf from the door."

"Ah," said his lordship, "you read your poetry to the wolf?"—"Portland Oregon."



BY SAPAJOU.

The End of the City of Rams

The Hungarian Background

Now Demanding back a Portion of the State That She Lost by Treaty of Trianon

BY ARTHUR SOPHER

IN contrast to the post-war infant state of Czechoslovakia, that of Hungary stretches from 1,042 years ago. Historians, piercing the mists of the past, tell that, at this time, which corresponds to the period of King Alfred of England, some 25,000 Magyars of a non-Slav Central-Asian people rode into the mountain basin of the Carpathians. Within the high-walled natural protectorate they found a fertile region of the Danube denuded of inhabitants by a succession of numerous wars. This brave and powerful body of men laid the solid foundations of a permanent political entity on a territory of Eastern Europe where no other race was able to do so before. It is observed that the nation became a bulwark against the onslaught of wave upon wave of fierce barbarians, and that early they embraced Christianity receiving a crown from the Pope.

The living Hungary of today, in her present national assertions, is making front-page news of the Central European turmoil. Hungary is demanding back a portion of the state that was dismembered by the Treaty of Trianon (1920), whereby she was left with only one-third of her terrain and half her people.

Hungary Demands

Hungary is requesting from the Czechs: (1) Immediate cession of the strip of territory containing the important towns of Bratislava (Pressburg), Bosice, Nitra, Uzerod, Muckacevo, Rognigevic, and Kevime; (2) A plebiscite for the rest of Slovakia; and (3) a separate plebiscite for Ruthenia (Little Russia), the easternmost province of Czechoslovakia, abutting on Poland, Rumania and Hungary.

To understand the pressure she is bringing to bear upon her northern neighbour, one needs to become apprised of the background, the inner compulsions, and the economics of the whole problem. But yesterday, Europe was on the brink of war over Czechoslovakia, and that ebullition having hardly quietened, this one of Hungary arises into turbulence. Indeed, these seething pots of racial hate are almost boiling over. To us in Shanghai and China, it is of paramount concern, for we hold that our political centre-of-gravity is not so much here in the Far East as far elsewhere, abroad. If a stable political equilibrium can be established there in Europe, we may look forward to security and a betterment of our lot here in China. As a satisfied Hungary will constitute an important rivet in the armourplate of western collaboration, it becomes doubly interesting to know the nature of her people and the grounds of her complaint. It is the purpose of this article to assist the reader a little in such respect, through gleanings from several sources.

Country's Trials

Of the way in which these people as a nation have time and again met adversity, authority speaks thus: "Since the birth of Christ no country has been overwhelmed by such misery"—comment of the historian on Hungary after that country, holding the gate of western civilization, was laid utterly waste by the Mongols in the thirteenth century. A few hundred years later, Hungary rose again to power and mediaeval splendour. She formed the buttress of the west against the barbarous hordes of the Suliman. Later, they were overwhelmed and met with almost irretrievable disaster. The same authority relates that population was decimated, towns razed to the ground, treasures plundered, women outraged, and carried off.

The next 200 years saw the resurrection of the unconquerable Magyars who overthrew the Turkish yoke and triumphed over their other adversaries. When the giant victors, in 1920, created at the stroke of the pen the new state of Czechoslovakia and partitioned to the latter, to Rumania, to Yugoslavia and to Austria, two-thirds of the whole of Hungarian lands, Hungary was prostrated.

Treaty of Trianon

Referring to the Treaty of Trianon, an eminent English journalist, described the situation in these words: "Again Hungary is laid low: encompassed by watchful, jealous, and bitter foes, with all the might of the Allied nations of Europe behind them. No loophole has been left this time through which crucified Hungary can resuscitate her shattered strength and regain her lost territories. She has been imprisoned in a stockade with her arms pinioned."

We must understand the spirit of the Hungarian people. They possess an intense national consciousness, and their record bespeaks a noble breed with a marvellous capacity for recuperation. Their mutilated country finds them unbowed in spirit and determined to overcome their present miseries. With them, patriotism has become a secred rite—deified—pride of race exalting the people, who have earned superlative eulogies from some of the world's greatest men. "While America was still undiscovered, Hungary was already checking barbarian expansion, and saving the security of the civilized world. For this we are all indebted to her."—Theodore Roosevelt. "For 400 years Hungary had bled for Europe, culture and civilization" states the French historian Pierre Delattre. "This noteworthy country will break out of its grave while there is in the world even a ghost of independence, virtue, honour, and a desire for freedom. Till then Hungary will live."—Victor Hugo.

Having touched upon historic aspects, we would now glance at Hungary in the light of geography, with the help of Prof. Francis Fodor. He says that the natural conditions of the surface are not in harmony with the political boundaries drawn across it, and hence the fundamental conditions of the economics of Europe as a whole are disturbed. The discord is no way more evident than on either side of the Trianon frontiers. The economic, political, cultural and ethnographic conditions were radically upset there after the War. Fodor emphasizes that states are no rootless thing but are rooted in the surface of the earth.

Unbearable Situation

Thus, the conclusion arrived at in the case of Hungary is that its mutilation has created an unbearable situation for the territory. Hungary was a wonderful example of a harmoniously built up state, and, as a result of the assiduous labour of a nation for centuries, a perfect economic unit was created within the Carpathians.

Coming now to the economic consequencess of the disruption, here are some of the high-lights, as brought out by Sir Robert Donald:—In old Hungary there were five customs houses; in present Hungary (one-third of the territory of the old) there are thirty. Barriers are erected to intercept the transit of goods among people who formerly enjoyed uninterrupted means of communication. The economic Chauvinist is aggressive and self-centred. He wants his country to be self-contained. The balance of trade is his obsession, believing that this is the secret of industrial wealth—an economic heresy which he hugs with satisfaction. He wants to sell to foreign countries and buy as little as possible.

The wall of tariffs which now surrounds Hungary increases the cost of living to all the inhabitants of the Succession states as well as to Hungary.

Economic Consequences

The economic consequences of the partition, which presses most heavily on Hungary, are threefold. Separation in itself restricted the movement of population as well as that of goods. The inhabitants of Slovakia, who were dependent on seasonal occupations, or whose livelihoods otherwise depended on their free circulation between the territories, are now handicapped in earnings.

An illustration of the hardship worked upon labourers and on investment, is the case of a 400-year-old iron industry. In 1918 the plant employed 3,000 persons. These people were cared for in a very enlightened manner. As a result of the change, they were thrown out of employment with the exception of some 100 or so. In fact, nearly all the industries, which existed and were fostered by Hungary in certain regions, have disappeared or have been crippled, and have not been replaced by other industries.

The plains of Hungary are full of livestock. Sixty per cent of Hungary is cultivated land, 20 per cent. meadow and pasture. Hungary exports great quantities of cattle, pigs, sheep, horses, geese, pork-fat, wool, feathers, flour and wheat. The peasant uses every inch of the land, but it is subject to floods because of indiscriminate felling of trees in headwaters in parts of Rumania and Slovakia which formerly were under the control of Hungary.

In education she is carrying out a sound progressive policy, and should in a few years make up for arrears. There are, however, four universities which turn out 12,000 graduates every year—far too many for the professional and cultural needs of the country.

We learn that more than slogans and moralizings, argumentative propaganda, and stirring appeals to humanity, the Hungarians rely upon themselves to rehabilitate their truncated territory, and to rebuild and fructify their improvished national assets. "By ourselves alone" was the old watchword of the Magyars.

Reconstruction

It is said that as soon as the prostrate people of Hungary found their feet, they planned a scheme of reconstruction. They began developing their resources, making new roads, electrifying railways, building new industries. It was uphill work. The shortage of capital and the high rate of interest on loans were handicaps.

Expansion is limited, as Hungary cannot replant the forests which she has lost, or obtain cheap power from the rivers, now outside her present borders. She has been denuded of essential raw materials, which were rich in the peripheries of Slovakia and Ruthenia. She retains the best and the bulk of her vineyards, which by some oversight, have been left, and is pushing her trade in wines formerly popular in foreign markets. Farming is carried on in the same scientific manner, and intensive agriculture is improved.

Heavy Handicaps

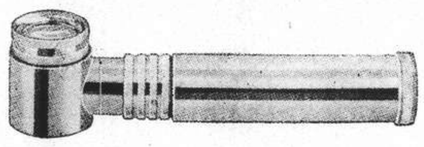
On the subject of the principles of Trianon, Sir Robert Donald considers that the closest study does not reveal any guiding rule, or even a consistent hypothesis upon which this Treaty was framed. Old Hungary was not carved up on any ethnological principle. It was impossible to get the ethnographical and political frontiers to coincide. Communications were cut in a way which had a paralysing effect on what was left of Hungary and was costly, inconvenient, damaging to the inhabitants of the alienated territories. The new map was drawn in a manner which not only smashed up a former economic unit, but imposed heavy handicaps on the economic existence of new Hungary.

The Treaty of Trianon was begotten of militarism; every consideration was set aside for strategic and military considerations. It was the product of the war spirit. A close observer, Mr. Ashmead Bartlett, of the tragic events which overwhelmed Hungary, said:

"So long as the Treaty of Trianon is allowed to remain in its present form there can be little hope of permanent peace in Europe—Hungary will remain the storm centre of the new Balkans."

The frontiers which Hungary is now claiming from Czechoslovakia would re-incorporate into Hungary one million of her own people.

We conclude on the prescient comment in May 1919 of Mr. J. L. Garvin in "The Observer":—"Instead of a settlement with security, it is a patchwork hinting peril in every seam. These terms give no fundamental solution to any European problem. They raise more dangers than they lay."



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Enormous Arms Expenditure Envisaged for U.S.A.

Army and Navy Appropriations for Building Up National Defences Expected to Reach Record

Washington, Oct. 21.

THE Government is planning to present to Congress a request for the largest military and naval expenditures in American peacetime history for the development of shore defences during the next two years in Hawaii, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, Alaska, the Panama Canal Zone, Midway Island, Wake Island, Samoa and possibly the Philippines, his Administration officials told the United Press today. The proposed request for special appropriations will be without precedent and will be aimed at greatly strengthening "the Atlantic, Caribbean and Pacific frontiers."

The recent developments in China and Europe, they said, re-emphasized the urgent necessity of powerful defences as far as possible from the mainland. A large part of the insular defence expenditures will probably be recommended for Hawaii, which is still regarded by military and naval experts as the most important American outpost and the key to naval domination of the Pacific, the Government officials said.

Military and naval plans exist, while awaiting Congressional approval, for vastly increasing the present Hawaiian defences in Pearl Harbour, the coast artillery, anti-aircraft batteries and air bases, it was understood.

There also exists a proposal to start construction of a secret defence project, probably on the Hawaiian Islands. The plan, it was reported, involves the construction of bombproof underground storage depots for munitions and hangars for airplanes.

The Navy, it was believed, also has tentative plans to strengthen coast defences through secret small bases on the coasts of various islands which would be accessible only to small surface craft. The bases could be used to house heavy naval aircraft which would be hidden from the danger of naval bombardment.

Pacific Island Store Bases

Considerable money will probably be expended soon on the improvement of landing facilities and the building of petrol and munitions storage plants on the Midway and Wake Islands as well as the long awaited development of the Alaskan air base projects, Government officials said.

The development of the Alaskan project would be urged as soon as the funds for strengthening the area will be made available, they believed.

It was understood that the Government would ask the next session of Congress to give the "go ahead" signal to this project immediately.

Government officials were most doubtful whether the Government would urge amounts to be expended on the Philippines until the final termination of the political status of the islands.

Contact with Philippines

Military and naval experts, however, said that the current Japanese military activities in South China emphasized the importance of military and naval preparedness in the event the United States political and economic relations with the Philippines will be prolonged.

Meanwhile, a special naval board was studying the possibility of the establishment of powerful air bases and naval staffs in the Virgin Islands.

The board deemed that an increase of defences in the Panama Canal Zone was necessary, it was reported.—United Press.

Letters Seized in Britain Shown

New York Trial of Four Alleged German Spies Has Complications

New, York, Oct. 21.

Although the authorities did not mention that the British Government had co-operated with the United States in the alleged German espionage activities in the United States, Mr. Lamar Hardy, U. S. Attorney, placed in the Federal Court during the trial of four defendants on spy charges today evidence in the form of letters seized by British police officials.

The letters were seized by Scotland Yard officials from the home of Mrs. Jessie Jordan, of Dundee, Scotland, who is serving a jail sentence in Britain for her part in espionage work for Germany. The letters related to a plot to steal plans of the U. S. aircraft carriers, the Yorktown and Enterprise.

Mrs. Jordan ran a "post-office" for Nazi spies both in Britain and the United States, it was revealed in court today before Judge John C. Knox. The Scotswoman would act as a relayer for letters between alleged Nazi spies in Britain and the United States, it was charged.

Guenther Rumrich, Mr. Hardy's chief witness, testified that Lieutenant Eric Pfeiffer, reputed Chief of the German Naval Intelligence, was a leader of the German spy ring in the United States.

Rumrich, one of the four persons standing trial for espionage and conspiracy, turned state's evidence when he pleaded guilty last week.

A deserter from the United States Army, Rumrich said that Miss Johanna Hofmann, who is also standing trial, told him that Lieutenant Pfeiffer was the superior of Karl Schlueter, whom Rumrich knew as a seaman on the German liner Europa and as a "pay-off man."

Rumrich earlier had testified that Schlueter had paid him several sums of money for information. He also said that Schlueter had shown big bills which were to be paid for valuable military secrets.

Miss Hofmann, a red-haired hairdresser on the Europa, is the only woman of the group of four alleged spies now on trial.—United Press.

Soviet Press Interested

Moscow, Oct. 21.

The Soviet press today commented at length on the trial of alleged German spies in New York, considering it as a new argument against those abroad who revealed scepticism as to the connections between the Trotsky-Bukharine bloc and an international espionage organization.

The papers stressed that Rumrich had in his possession fifty blank passports which were to be used to permit the entry of German spies into Soviet Russia.

"Between the trial in New York and that of the P.O.U.M. in Barcelona there is an organic connection," the "Pravda" stated. "Both trials reveal the work and methods of the Fascist espionage services and their vile Trotskyist agents."—Havas.

FUNERAL

The Late Mr. Ernst Sachs

The Chapel of the International Funeral Directors was filled to capacity yesterday afternoon when funeral services were held for the late Mr. Ernst Sachs. The Rev. E. Krueger of the German Lutheran Church, conducted the last rites assisted by Mr. H. Simon at the organ, rendering a prelude and postlude.

Mr. Sachs came to Shanghai 30 years ago and at the outbreak of the Great War in 1914 he enlisted and served as a soldier for his country at Tsingtao, then a German possession. After the war he was confined in Japan as a prisoner of war for 5½ years, after which he returned to his homeland. He came back to China shortly afterward as the Eastern representative of the Netherlands Insurance Co. of 1845, with which firm he was associated until his death. Following a brief illness he died last Friday morning at the Paulun Hospital at the age of 55 years. He is survived by his widow, Mrs. Emmi Sachs, and a nine-year-old daughter Ursel, in Shanghai, and a fourteen-year-old daughter, Lotte, who is now attending school in Germany. deceased was well known in Shanghai, particularly among the elders of the German community, and insurance circles. He is an active member of the German Club and the German Community and his presence will be indeed missed. The remains will be cremated and taken to Germany by Mrs. Sachs at a later date.

Besides many donations to the Deutsche Hilfe, which will be acknowledge latter flowers were received from:—

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Reichsmark Devaluation Talk Denied

Berlin, Oct. 22.

Authoritative quarters here denied the reports that the German Government was examining the possibility of devaluating the Reichsmark.—Havas.

Fall of Canton Celebrated

Celebrations on a gigantic scale were staged throughout Hongkew yesterday to celebrate the fall of Canton. Thousands of Japanese residents paraded through the streets in the morning and Japanese flags were flown from almost every building. Picture shows thousands of Japanese schoolchildren parading with national flags which they waved in front of an Army office in Hongkew.

Czech Nation Now Rebuilds State

Gen. Jan Sirovy Tells Of Great Tasks Ahead; Accomplishments Stated

Prague, Oct. 21.

A declaration presenting a resume of work already accomplished by the Czechoslovakian Government and of tasks still ahead, was made by the Premier, Gen. Jan Sirovy, to a representative of official Ceteka news agency today.

The Premier, formerly Inspector-General of the Czech Army, who took over the reins of Government during the recent crisis, stressed the difficulties awaiting his new Cabinet when it was obliged to accept the mutilation of Czechoslovakia.

"Quick negotiations with representatives of Slovakia and Sub-carpathian Russia (Ruthenia) resulted in co-operation and the realization of autonomous administrations in these provinces," Gen. Sirovy continued.

"In a few days, we evacuated part of the population and a number of the civil servants in the territories occupied by Germany. We have helped the refugees.

"Our most important task was to avoid a monetary panic. Today, the future of our currency is assured and soon, normal monetary conditions will return.

"Negotiations with London and Paris allow us to hope for financial aid in the reconstruction of our State.—We must reorganise our industry, our agricultural and trade systems, and we must build new roads and railways and start great public works.

"Our foreign policy must aim to reach complete and speedy ententes with all our neighbours.

"But the most urgent of our tasks is to determine our new frontiers and to assure the enforcement of the European guarantees included in the Munich Agreement; the guarantee of France, Great Britain, Germany and Italy will be all the more precious now that our relations with all our neighbours will be more cordial," Gen. Sirovy concluded.

Czechoslovakian schools may in future be closed every Saturday to cut down on national consumption of coal, newspapers here stated today. Coal supplies in this country have become very short since the cession of the chief mining areas to Germany.

Return to normalcy was pursued as private telephone lines to all countries except Hungary were again opened to the public.—Havas.

House Razed by Fire In Western District

A Chinese-style country-house off Lane 2042, Bubbling Well Road, was destroyed by fire shortly after 7 o'clock yesterday morning. Firemen from the Bubbling Well Station of the Settlement Fire Brigade were unable to save the building which burned practically to the ground. No-one was injured.

Furusho Heads Army In South China

Lieut.-Gen. Motoo Furusho, is Commander-in-Chief of the Japanese Expeditionary Force in South China and Lieut.-Col. Prince Chichibu, brother of Emperor Hirohito, is attached to the staff of the South China Expeditionary Forces, it was officially revealed in a communiqué issued at Tokyo yesterday by the Army Section of the Imperial General Headquarters.

This confirms the information published in the "North-China Daily News" last Tuesday.

Mr. W. H. Plant Resigning

Mr. W. H. Plant, American member of the Shanghai Municipal Council and manager of the United States Steel Products Company, and Mrs. Plant are said to be sailing for the United States on business shortly and, as a consequence, Mr. Plant is reported to have resigned his councillorship. He is expected back in Shanghai in about half a year's time and it is understood that should he be present for the next Council elections he will stand for office once again.

Mr. Plant, who is chairman of the American Civilian Relief Committee, was also one of the Supervisory Committee of Seven of the Nantao Safety Zone scheme formulated by Father Jacquinot and carried through with such overwhelming success. In his capacity as manager of the United States Steel Products Co., Mr. Plant travelled down to the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co.'s Hongkew Wharf with Mrs. Plant almost a year ago to welcome the first American steamer (the ss. Steel Traveller) to come into port since the bombing of the President Hoover.

New Czech Proposals Make Progress

Hungary Again Thinks of Appealing to Powers

Budapest, Oct. 22.

The new Czech proposals to Hungary have been received in the Foreign Office.

It is learned in well-informed circles that the proposals are still not regarded as satisfactory, although they show an advance.

The new Czech offer is considered to be insufficient to meet Hungary's demands regarding the extent of Czech Ruthenian territory to be ceded, as well as regarding the position of other minorities in Slovakia and Ruthenia.

Hungary, it is understood, intends to press strongly for a settlement of the Ruthenian question on the principle of self-determination, and for cession of Kosice.

The Hungarian press again talks of asking the four Munich Powers, particularly Rome and Berlin, to exert their influence in Prague.—Reuter.

French Cabinet Changes Not Yet Envisaged

Paris, Oct. 21.

Despite rumours to the contrary, it is stated in authoritative quarters here that the Premier, M. Edouard Daladier, does not at present envisage either the dissolution of the Chamber of Deputies or a reshuffle in the Cabinet. Neither measure may be expected before the Radical Congress at Marseilles at the earliest it is stated. The Premier will only use the full powers accorded him by Parliament and will proceed to effect economic and financial recovery by means of decrees.—Havas.

Canidrome Results

1—440 yd. flat.—1, Boxing Fan; 2, Sandals.
Also ran:—Snow Dale, Corinthian, Simple Maid, San Fairy Ann.
1 length.—Time, 27.45.
Win, $17.90. Forecast (1-4) Div. $47.70.
Place, 1st $6.80; 2hd $7.60.
2—500 yd. flat.—1, Ah Liang; 2, Brilliant Star.
Also ran:—New Lover, Brass Hat, Charming Lee, Dah Chong.
5 lengths.—Time, 30.72.
Win, $26.00. Forecast (6-4) Div. $68.80.
Place, 1st $13.00; 2nd $7.80.
Double Event 1/2 (1-6) Div. $64.60.
3—500 yd. flat.—1, Ladybird II; 2, Expansion.
Also ran:—Swallow, Irish Molly, L'Ousta No, Five Stors II.
7 lengths.—Time, 30.32.
Win, $15.40. Forecast (5-1) Div. $111.60.
Place, 1st $9.60; 2nd $13.20.
Double Event 2/3 (6-5) Div. $37.70.
4—500 yd. flat.—1, Triumph; 2, Mad Jack.
Also ran:—Advance Guard, Modern Wave, Yomarcan, Dalebird.
Short Head.—Time, 30.69.
Win, $26.00. Forecast (3-6) Div. $83.30.
Place, 1st $8.90; 2 $9.40.
Double Event 3/4 (5-3) Div. $26.30.
5—500 yd. flat.—1, Lucky Jim; 2, Bindel Isunler.
Also ran:—Wild Rose, Jarrock's Best, Follow Me, Chop Fante.
1/2 length.—Time, 30.73.
Win, $35.20. Forecast (4-3) Div. $168.40.
Place, 1 $16.20; 2 $11.30.
Double Event 4/5 (3-4) Div. $104.90.
6—500 yd. flat.—1, Young Talgal; 2, Grey Meg.
Also ran:—Chihli Grey Wolf, Bell Boy, Teiresias, Jorrock's Alone.
1 length.—Time, 30.42.
Win, $30.50. Forecast (5-2) Div. $146.30.
Place, 1 $10.10; 2 $9.00.
Double Event 5/6 (4-5) Div. $71.90.
7—500 yd. flat.—1, Monkanson; 2, D'Artagnan.
4 lengths.—Time, 29.96.
Win, $19.20. Forecast (5-2) Div. $150.40.
Place, 1st $14.90; 2nd $20.20.
Double Event 6/7 (5-5) Div. $32.70.
8—500 yd. flat.—1, Spermin Lecitin; 2, O'Branagan D. H., Lieutenant D. H.
4 Dead Heat.—Time, 30.06.
Win, $26.50. Forecast (4-3), (4-5) Div. $49.90., $92.50.
Place 1st $7.40; 2nd $7.50, $8.10.
Double Event 7/8 (5-4) Div. $44.00.
9—500 yd. flat.—1, Sweet Moon; 2, Our Gift.
1 length.—Time, 30.02.
Win, $29.40. Forecast (6-2) Div. $151.20.
Place, 1st $15.10; 2nd $16.50.
Double Event 8/9 (4-6) Div. $74.80.
10—500 yd. flat.—1, Olympia; 2, Beaconsfield.
Also ran:—Gleniffer, Chihli Flying Squirrel, Lady Buby, Belle O'Siccawei.
Short Head.—Time, 29.92.
Win, $34.90. Forecast (4-2) Div. $86.40.
Place 1st $10.80; 2nd $10.20.
Double Event 9/10 (6-4) Div. $147.40.
11—525 yd. flat.—1, Little Marquis; 2, Mad Dale.
4½ lengths.—Time, 31.42.
Win, $16.00. Forecast (4-5) Div. $38.40.
Place, 1st $8.40; 2nd $13.00.
Double Event 10/11 (4-4) Div. $53.60.
12—525 flat.—1, Merry Widow; 2, Saucy Johnnie.
Also ran:—Diamond Queen, Luhai Lily, Wild Jack.
6½ lengths.—Time, $30.57.
Win, $10.10. Forecast (1-2) Div. $66.70.
Place, 1st $6.70; 2nd $12.90.
Double Event 11/12 (4-1) Div. $11.30.

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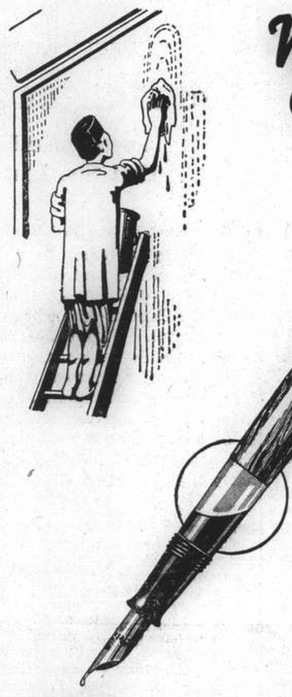

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FROM DAY TO DAY

REV. E. S. Currie of the Southern Presbyterian Mission will give the devotional talk over the Christian Broadcast Station XMHD on Monday at 1.10 p.m.

THE Consul-General for the Netherlands and Madame G. W. Boissevain are sailing for Peiping in the ss. Taisang tomorrow. They will return to Shanghai within a month.

THE Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, and Mrs. Chamberlain, left Downing Street on Friday afternoon for Chequers, where they will spend the week-end.

SIR Nevile Henderson, British Ambassador in Berlin, who is now in England on leave, called on the Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, on Friday.

KING Leopold of the Belgians, at present on a private visit to London with his sister, the Princess of Piedmont, had luncheon with the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace on Friday.

THE Shanghai Muncipal Council announce that, from October 24 extensive road repairs will take place on the South side of Foochow Road, between Shantung and Shanse Roads, for a period of about 10 days.

SIG. Vittorio Mussolini, Il Duce's son, arrived in Berlin on Friday in a plane which he piloted himself. He will remain here for a few days, during which time he will present a film on the Abyssinian war which he took.

REGULAR rehearsals for the Thanksgiving Day chorus are being held Tuesday and Thursday at 5.30 p.m. at the American Club under the direction of Mr. L. C. Perry. All interested, willing and able to help, are invited.

M. PAUL Emile Naggiar, French Ambassador to China, is often mentioned in Paris as likely to succeed M. Robert Coulondre in the Moscow Embassy. M. Coulondre is leaving that post shortly, having been designated new Ambassador to Berlin.

MR. J. S. Barr, M.A., B.SC. of The London Mission and Medhurst college will be the speaker over station XMHD the China Christian Broadcast, tonight, from eight thirty to nine o'clock. The half hour of meditation in English.

A FIRE broke out in the home of the late Mr. Lu Hsin, noted short story-writer, in the French Concession on Friday morning, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao." Mrs. Lu Hsin and others in the house escaped without injury, but several originals of rare and ancient books, the report adds, were destroyed.

IT was officially announced from Buckingham Palace on Friday that King Carol of Rumania had accepted the invitation of the King and Queen to pay his postponed state visit to London from Tuesday, November 15, to Friday, November 18. King Carol will be accompanied by his son. Crown Prince Michael.

CAPTAIN C. P. Jones, one of Imperial Airways' pilots, has just completed a 21 years' continuous flying career. He has crossed the Channel at the controls of an air-liner about 6,000 times and not one of the 96,000 passengers he has carried has sustained the slightest injury.

HOMES are being sought by the Secretary, S.S.P.C.A. for the following pets. Will those interested please telephone 36536 during business hours:—1 Kerry Blue, male 1½ years; 1 female cat and 1 four week kitten. At Gordon Road Police Kennels may be seen:—1 foxterrier dog.

THE Tung Wo Commercial and Savings Bank, a member bank of the Shanghai Bankers' Association, says a report to the "Ta Wan Pao," suspended business on Friday following a heavy run upon its current and fixed deposits. The bank, which is capitalized at $500,000, is being liquidated and a receiver is being appointed, the report adds.

COLLECTIONS so far in the Y.W.C.A. Finance campaign amount to $16,056. The second report rally, held on Friday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. brought in over Ten Thousand dollars. The sum secured to date assures the running of the Y.W.C.A. through July 14, 1939, eighty two dollars a day being needed, above income, to maintain this work in the community.

THE influx of refugees into this city tended for a time to swell current deposits of local Chinese banks, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao," but such deposits are now being withdrawn. Legitimate trade and business has also been tremendously affected by the current hostilities, most local firms having resorted to retrenchments. With local and interport trade almost stagnant as a result of the hostilities, the report adds, banks have been compelled to lower their interest rates and are adopting a cautious attitude in extending credit loans.

FOR the third Symphony Concert of the season, which will take place this afternoon at the Lyceum Theatre at the usual prices and at the usual time, the conductor of the Municipal Orchestra has chosen two works which should arouse the greatest interest amongst music lovers. That which is considered the main feature in the programme is the famous 1st Symphony by Brahms, which, of the four written by the master, is certainly, if not the most familiar, the greatest, musically speaking. The other work, which fills the second part of the programme, and which should be of special interest to the Shanghai public, is a new work by the well known local musician-composer, Mr. S. Aksakov.

A Dancing Play .....Schreker
Sarabande
Menuet
Madrigal
Gavotte
Symphony No. 1 in C Minor ..Brahms
Un poco sostenuto—Allegro
Andante sostenuto
Un poco allegretto e grazioso
Adagio—piu andante—allegro non troppo ma con brio—piu allegro
Concerto in E minor for Piano and Orchestra .....S. Aksakov
Allegro agitato—andantino—poco meno mosso—
Andantino—Allegro agitato
(To be played without interruption).

Judgment Reserved In Damages Claim

Local Jockey Sued By Russian Superviser; Stockbroker's Story

Judgment was reserved by Judge P. Grant Jones in H.M. Supreme Court yesterday morning when the hearing of the action brought by Mr. Solomon Zatz, a Russian sperviser employed by the American Securities Corp., against Mr. F. Marshall, member of the Shanghai Stock Exchange and prominent local jockey, was concluded.

Mr. Zatz, represented by Mr. K. E. Newman, claimed a sum of $1,000 as damages $392.60 as special damages, and costs, resulting from an accident on Bubbling Well Road on June 17, when he states that he was thrown out of a rickshaw and sustained serious injury through the defendant's car colliding with the rear of the rickshaw. Plaintiff, for whom Mr. H. D. Rodger conducted the case, denied any negligence and said that the accident was caused by a sudden swerve made by the rickshaw coolie.

Continuing his cross-examination of defendant Mr. Newman was told that the rickshaw was occupying far more of the road than it should have done. Here the Judge stated that if the road was clear the puller was entitled to use as much of it as he wished. This was the law although such archaic conveyances were not used there (England).

Right Wheel Struck

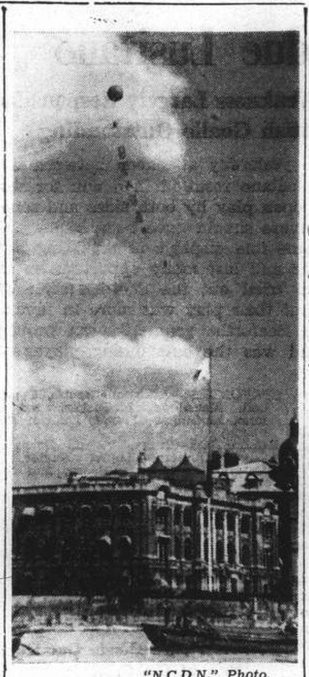
Mr. Emile Edward Gensburger, French subject and stockbroker, stated that he was travelling with defendant in his car at the time of the accident. As they approached Medhurst Road he noticed a rickshaw ahead without a light. The coolie appeared as if he was going to turn to the right but he suddenly swerved to the left and the left bumper of the car hit the right wheel of the rickshaw. Had the rickshaw continued on a straight course there would have been no accident.

During cross-examination witness stated that the sudden turn to the left had caused the accident. Here Mr. Newman added that Mr. Marshall had cited the swerve of the rickshaw to the right as the cause.

Evidence was also given by Mr. David Bernard Judah, who stated in cross-examination that the party had been playing bowls at the Race Club on the night of the accident. They had had the usual quota of drinks which one got when one was playing bowls.

Mr. Rodger in his address to the Judge said that Mr. Newman had not proved any negligence on the part of defendant which he would have to do to recover damages. For plaintiff, Mr. Newman contended that it was the duty of the overtaking vehicle to take every care. At the time of the accident Mr. Marshall had never alleged that the rickshaw had swerved to the right nor had he mentioned that fact in his correspondence to Mr. Newman.

A TOTAL of 27 new silk filatures, says a report to the "Sin Wan Pao," are being established within the International Settlement. Fifteen of these have already started operations, the report states, a total of 3,000 reeling plants being operated and some 10,000 workers being employed. These are, the Lien Yuan, Fook Loong, Lien Cheng, Chien Yeh, Yueh Hsing, Yu Foong, Hwa Lun, Shanghai, Tung Cheng, San Yik, Hung Foong, Chen Lun, Yue Foong, Heng Shen, and the Lo Chang filatures. Twelve other silk filatures will be operated as soon as building operations on the factories are completed, the report states.



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"Victory" Balloon

A "Victory" Balloon, heralding the capture of Canton by Japanese troops, was flown over Hongkew all yesterday.

Dollar Liner Held Up By Escaped Prisoner

Spanish-American Breaks Parole in Hongkong

Hongkong, Oct. 22.

The Dollar liner President Coolidge was held up until 1 p.m. Thursday after sailing from Hongkong at 9 a.m. that day for Shanghai because it was forced to wait and take on board a Spanish-American parole breaker.

Frank Lopez, a Spanish-American prisoner being sent to the United States, escaped from the Coolidge on Tuesday evening.

Lopez, who broke parole, remained in hiding in Hongkong for almost two days, but the local police instituted a city-wide search and arrested him late Thursday.

The local police force acted under instructions of the American Consular authorities who applied to the Hongkong Government for co-operation in finding the missing prisoner.

Although arrested by the local police authorities, Lopez was not held in custody but sent under armed guard by launch to the Coolidge which was forced to wait in Kowloon Bay.

Lopez was handed over to the liner's officials and placed safely under guard.

The Coolidge then continued to Shanghai, where she is due to dock on Sunday shortly after noon.—United Press.

Two Armed Robberies In Settlement

Two armed robberies which took place late on Friday evening were reported to the Settlement Police early yesterday morning.

Money, jewellery and clothing of undetermined value was the loot obtained by two robbers at House 18, Lane 1536 Sinza Road, while at 191 Kwangse Road a gunman, single-handed, stole jewellery worth about $120. All the robbers escaped, and no shots were fired.

Shanghai Crews Return with Story of Interport

Magnificent Final Spurts by Tientsin Prove Too Much for Rivals; Highly Successful Affair

THE Shanghai Rowing Club interport team returned late on Friday night from their journey to Tientsin where they were defeated by Tientsin in the triangular interport, Harbin taking third place in the contest. On the scoring, Tientsin, who had won all four races took a total of 20 points, Shanghai 7 and Harbin 3, the winners providing some fine crews for their races and being justifiably victors.

The Shanghai team, although beaten, were not disgraced. They put up a very fine showing for a visiting team, hastily recruited, and rowing in strange waters in strange boats. The local oarsmen were just beaten in the two major races—the fours and eights—the margin in each instance being only half a length, and in both instances, the race was won by a strong spurt by Tientsin in the last 100 yards.

The local crews had five days to accustom themselves to the conditions on the Haiho river in Tientsin, and to get used to the boats they were to use. In this period they made the most of their training—the pairs getting used to the "side seaters" and the fours to "sitting up" the light boats which certainly required a considerable amount of good rowing to keep in balance. In the eights, Shanghai was more at home as these were the old boats which the Shanghai Rowing Club presented to the Tientsin Rowing Club four years ago.

Highly Successful Affair

The Interport regatta, held on the Haiho, about 3 miles below the city, was a highly successful affair and a tribute to the hard work and good organization of the Tientsin Rowing Club committee. Shanghai was fortunate in drawing the bye in the fours, and Harbin was eliminated by Tientsin in the heats rowed off on the Friday before the regatta.

The Pairs was the first race to be run off—over a mile distance with a strong tide assisting the oarsmen. Shanghai, represented by W. Neugebauer (bow) and A. Pressler (stroke), got away to the best start and took a slight lead from Tientsin (Kouleff and Sdobnikoff) while Harbin was third.

The Tientsin pair, utilising a longer and more effective stroke drew up to the Shanghai crew in the first quarter mile and by the half mile had established two lengths lead which they held to the finish, rowing confidently.

Harbin was behind Shanghai for the first half mile, but at the quarter they came up strongly and raising their rate of striking to something like 36—even at the outward appearance of catching a crab—they fought out second place with Shanghai to win by a canvas, thereby leaving Shanghai third.

The Fours

The Fours was rowed in the same afternoon, and Shanghai had strong hopes of winning this. The start saw the two crews getting away very evenly, with Shanghai going out ahead at the quarter mile to hold a lead of half a length. The Shanghai crew rowed J. March, N. Harris, H. Wolcken G. Blown, with particularly good bladework, and seemed to be holding their heavier opponents without great effort. At the last quarter mile, Shanghai spurted and March raised the rate of striking from 32 to 34, to take a slight lead, but Tientsin had a slight bit more in reserve and at the last hundred yards they brought off a magnificent spurt which took them on to win by half a length. This was indeed an exceptionally fine race and there was little to choose between the two crews, Tientsin's heavier eight and strength, proving the day against Shanghai's light bladework and lighter crew.

The Eights was rowed off on the Sunday, and here again a fine contest was seen. Shanghai again got away to the best start and went out ahead with a delightful stroke, Pressler setting his crew a rate of 30 to keep. Tientsin dropped back and were a full length behind at the three quarter mile.

Harbin had dropped completely out of the picture, and the issue again law between Tientsin and Shanghai. At the half mile, Dello the Tientsin stroke, to whom great credit must go for the Northern port's victory in both the fours and eights, brought his crew up level with a spurt and it was a thrilling race from here to the finish. Shanghai responded the two crews being practically level in the last quarter mile.

Magnificent Spurt

A Japanese ship coming upriver appeared to be in the path of the Shanghai crew, but the Shanghai cox, Gerry Neal, had the situation well in hand and with but slight deviation from his course, gave his crew their best opportunity to bring off the prize of the day, but here again, as in the case of the Shanghai oarsmen were unable to bring off that superhuman effort which characterised the final spurts of the Tientsin crews, and Tientsin was again able to bring off a narrow victory to the plaudits of their large crowd of supporters.

Shanghai being unable to provide a sculler, Kouleff the Tientsin representative had an easy victory from Hridilka the Harbin sculler, thereby completing Tientsin's straight victory in all events.

To decide second place in the fours, in view of the shortage of boats which had previously necessitated the drawing of a bye in this event, Shanghai and Harbin rowed off again, and the local crew won handsomely without effort from Harbin.

A dinner took place at the Tientsin Volunteer Corps Hall and proved a fitting climax to the regatta, a large number of sporting element being present, together with the three interport crews. Mr. R. Geyling, president of the Tientsin Rowing Club was in the chair and supported by members of his committee, while the Shanghai and Harbin oarsmen were the guests of the day.

In a fitting speech, Mr. Geyling spoke of the success of the regatta and how it would give Tientsin an opportunity to "be placed on the map" in the rowing world, more especially after their success over such worthy opponents as Shanghai.

The representatives from Harbin and Shanghai made appropriate speeches and the interport flags were presented by the losing teams to the Tientsin captain. Shanghai also presented a small memento flag to the Harbin coach, marking the occasion of their competition together.

The Shanghai team returned to Shanghai in the ss. Kaiping and, though without interport honours, were conscious of having fully upheld the high standard of rowing which is traditional of the Shanghai Rowing Club.

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THE SPORTS PAGE

Utilities Sports Meeting

Speed of Fonseca Brothers Gives Waterworks Sweeping Triumph Over Other Hongs

THROUGH the fine performances of the Fonseca Brothers, Anthony and John, the Shanghai Waterworks Company scored a sweeping victory over five other Hongs in the fourth annual Joint Utilities Sports Meeting on the Shanghai American School grounds yesterday afternoon. The Watermen gathered a grand aggregate of 73 points, including a win of ten points in the Tug-of-War and a second place of six in the 880-yards Relay.

Finishing 11 points behind were the Shanghai Power Company representatives (62) who lost to the champions in the Tug-of-War but came back to garner the relay and reduce arrears. Y. S. Liu, the anchor-man put up a tremendous rush towards the last hundred yards and overtook his rival, B. A. Wolnizer. Liu was at least 15 yards behind when he took off and his efforts were certainly unusual, taking the Hong standard into consideration.

Three new records were made. The first one came in the High Jump as S. Sogrin, Power Company, cleared the bar at five feet and 6 inches, eclipsing the mark of S. L. Meilman of Telephone Company in 1936 by exactly one inch. Next saw Tony Fonseca set a new record in the 220 Yards Dash of 23 seconds flat, beating his own mark of 23.8 established in 1935. John Fonseca tied it in 1936 The third feat was pulled by John Fonseca in the Hop Step Jump. He leaped 43 feet and 8 inches, bettering his own record of 42.2 in 1936.

Faithful to His Hong

A word of praise is due Wong Shoo-Ping, Tramway Company, for his faithfulness to his Hong. Only a few hours before the meeting news came to him that both his father and mother had been shot to death during some sort of gun fighting in Nantao early in the morning. With a heart that was breaking, this young employee carried out his duty like a true sportsman, came in third in the three-mile run. He left the compound right after he finished, with only some of his intimate friends and a few high officers of his Company knowing of the tragedy.

All prizes were presented by Mr. C. S. Franklin immediately following the last event.

Major prizes were:—

Tug-of-War won by Shanghai Waterworks Company.

880 Yards Relay won by Shanghai Power Company.

Grand Aggregate Championship won by Shanghai Waterworks Company.

One Mile Invitation Mile Relay won by Fourth U.S. Marines.

Individual Championship won by A. M. Fonseca.

Individual Second Honours won by J. C. Fonseca.

Summary of Results

100 Yds.:—1. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 2. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 3. A. Symons (S.T.C.), 4. M. Volodchenko (S.P.C.). Time:—10.5 secs.

Mile Run:—1. Chang Liang (S.P.C.), 2. R. O. Baker (S.W.C.), 3. Lee Soong-Bing (S.E.C.C.), 4. Li Tu-An S.P.C.), Time:—5 min. 17.1 secs.

Obstacle Race—Ladies:—1. Miss Favacho (S.T.C.), 2. Miss M. Little (S.W.W.C.) 3. Miss Sheridan (S.T.C.), 4. Miss M. Heiberg (S.P.C.).

220 Yds. Low Hurdles:—1. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 2. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 3. Dau Ying-Chieh (S.P.C.), 4. B. A. Wolnizer (S.W.C.). Time:—27.4 secs.

High Jump:—1. S. Sogrin (S.P.C.), 2. E. Hasser (C.G.O.C.), 3. E. T. Indrickson (S.T.C.), 4. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.). Height:—5 ft. 6 in. (Record).

Veterans Race 75 Yds.:—1. T. G. Main (S.W.C.), 2. M. D. Marshall (S.P.C.), 3. E. Jacobs (S.P.C.), 4. V. J. Wilson (S.W.C.). Time:—10.2 secs.

Shot Put:—1. M. Gaberman (C.G.O.C.), 2. S. Sogrin (S.P.C.), 3. R. M. Currie (S.W.C.), 4. G. R. Vinokoroff (S.T.C.). Distance:—35 ft. 5½ in.

Three Mile Run:—1. Li Tu-An (S.P.C.), 2. Chang Liang (S.P.C.), 3. Wong Shoo-Bing (S.E.C.C.), 4. Meng Nee-Liang (S.E.C.C.). Time:—17 min. 53.2 secs.

220 Yds.:—1. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 2. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 3. M. Volodchenko (S.P.C.), 4. Y. S. Liu (S.P.C.). Time:—23 secs. (Record).

100 Yds.—Ladies:—1. Miss L. Foyn (C.G.O.C.), 2. Miss M. Little (S.W.C.), 3. Miss G. M. Peach (S.W.C.), 4. Miss Sheridan (S.T.C.). Time:—14 secs.

Tilting the Bucket:—Won by N. Schiller and V. Popoff (S.W.C.).

Hop Step and Jump:—1. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 2. M. Volodchenko (S.P.C.), 3. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 4. G. S. McGill (S.W.C.). Distance:—43 ft. 8 in. (Record).

880 Yds. Run:—1. G. A. Yanus (S.P.C.), 2. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 3. R. O. Baker (S.W.C.), 4. Meng Nee-Liang (S.E.C.C.). Time:—2 min. 17.2 secs.

440 Yds.:—1. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 2. A. Gaberman (C.G.O.C.), 3. R. O. Baker (S.W.C.), 4. Dau Ying-Chieh (S.P.C.). Time:—56.8 secs.

Long Jump:—1. M. Volodchenko (S.P.C.), 2. A. M. Fonseca (S.W.C.), 3. G. S. McGill (S.W.C.), 4. J. C. Fonseca (S.W.C.). Distance:—20 ft. 5 in.

Potato Race—Ladies:—1. Miss L. Foyn (C.G.O.C.), 2. Miss M. Little (S.W.C.), 3. Miss Sheridan (S.T.C.), 4. Miss Lily Chat (S.T.C.).

Tug-of-War:—1. Shanghai Waterworks Co., 2. Shanghai Power Co.

One Mile Walk:—1. E. T. Indrickson (S.T.C.), 2. Hsu Kao-fu (S.P.C.), 3. Tai Fong-Kong (S.P.C.), 4. Zee Ping-Dau (S.E.C.C.). Time:—8 min. 28.3 secs.

Invitation Mile Relay:—1. Fourth U.S. Marines (Chappa, Brown, Aikman and Funk), 2. Russian Regiment (Novosiltseff, Kachan, Korobkoff and Miranoff), 3. French Forces (Regot, Tournoi, Theorni and Sugot). Time:—3 min. 39 secs.

50 Yds.—Girls Under 12 Years:—1. Carol Taylor, 2. Agnes Cadd, 3. Lilian Cadd, 4. Beryl Rogers.

50 Yds.—Boys Under 12 Years:—1. Arthur Krumholz, 2. Walter Wildt, 3. Ronald Dohse, 4. Reggie Becke.

880 Yds. Relay:—1. Shanghai Power Company (M. Volodchenko, Chang Liang, Dau Ying-Chieh and Y. S. Liu), 2. Shanghai Waterworks Company (J. C. Fonseca, D. L. Sterling, A. M. Fonseca and B. A. Wolnizer), 3. Shanghai Telephone Company (R. C. Mukray, A. Sinclair, A. Symons and W. Lee), 4. Shanghai Bus Company (H. H. Chen, M. Gaberman, E. Hasser and A. Gaberman). Time:—1 min. 39.3 secs.

Points in Running

Events	Bus. Co.	Trams	Power	Phone	Water
1. 100 yards dash	–	–	1	2	8
2. One mile run	–	2	6	–	3
3. High Jump	3	–	5	2	1
5. 220 yards low hurdles	–	–	2	–	9
7. Putting the Shot	5	–	3	1	2
8. Three mile run	–	3	8	–	–
9. 220 yards dash	–	–	3	–	6
12. Hop Step and Jump	–	–	3	–	8
14. 880 yards run	–	1	5	–	5
15. Long Jump	–	–	5	–	6
17. 440 yards dash	3	–	1	–	7
19. Tug-of-War	–	–	5	–	10
20. One mile Walk	–	1	5	5	–
24. Relay Race	2	–	10	4	6
Total	13	7	62	14	73

M.C.C. Team Sails for South Africa

London, Oct. 21.

The M.C.C. touring team for South Africa sailed from Southampton today in the Athlone Castle. —Reuter.

S.C.C. Win Pick-up Game v. Recs.

Heap Scores 67 Not Out In Friendly Cricket, Against Poor Bowling

Giving the players not chosen in tomorrow cricket match, the opportunity of their last cricket game of the season, pick-up sides from the Recs and the S.C.C. were engaged in a friendly encounter on the S.C.C. ground yesterday afternoon. Vacancies were filled by anyone in the Pavilion at the time, and Duckitt, (one of those present) with an invaluable 67 from Heap proved too much for the scratch Recs team. Wood batted for the opposing side and contributed a useful 30 in a total of 128. To this the S.C.C. replied with 183 for eight wickets before stumps were drawn for close of play.

A profitable first wicket stand between Harris and Leriou of the Recs produced 50 runs before the latter was bowled by Duckitt. The same bowler claimed Harris's wicket in the next over when the latter had scored 41. His innings included at least four lives and was hardly worth the total. After a number of batsmen had literally got themselves out' a further short stand was witnessed, Anderson and Johnston. Wood however accepted a hard catch at square leg to dismiss Anderson, and apparently to make up for this, went in tenth wicket for the Recs and proceeded to score 30 quick runs before Honey was clean bowled by Heap to end the innings.

The S.C.C. made a fairly good start, but after Goodwin was clean bowled by Kellner, wickets fell fairly regularly until Lawrance made his appearance at the crease. This pair carried the score to 99 when the latter was caught by one of the grounds coolies, off Leriou, for 20. Duckitt joined Heap and with the latter having got his eye well in by this time, the two batsmen had little difficulty in passing their opponents score without any further loss of a wicket.

An S.R.C. XI

F. D. Harris, b. Duckitt	41
J. Leriou, b. Duckitt	12
J. H. Anderson, c. Wood, b. Sluis	17
J. R. Macdonald, b. Duckitt	0
F. F. Kellner, c. Sub., b. Sluis	6
P. M. Master, c. Heap, b. Sluis	0
A. W. Pettit, c. Sub., b. Lingard	0
M. T. Johnston, c. Fairbairn, b. Heap	12
A. F. Inwood, b. Weaver	2
T. H. Wood, not out	30
A. G. Honey, b. Heap	3
Extras	5
Total	128

Fall of wickets: 1 for 50, 2 for 59, 3 for 59, 4 for 67, 5 for 67, 6 for 67, 7 for 75, 8 for 91, 9 for 101, 10 for 128.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Goodwin	3	—	22	—
Read	3	1	15	—
Wood	3	—	15	—
Duckitt	3	—	8	3
Sluis	3	—	13	3
Lingard	2	1	—	1
Weaver	3	1	9	1
Heap	3	—	16	2

An S.C.C. XI

R. H. Goodwin, b. Kellner	8
L. Heap, Retired	67
G. J. Read, c. Harris, b. Pettit	4
E. J. Sluis, l.b.w., b. Pettit	8
J. E. Fairbairn, c. Macdonald, b. Pettit	0
L. T. Lawrance, c. Sub., b. Leriou	20
E. R. Duckitt, not out	44
T.A.T. Begg, c. Macdonald, b. Pettit	6
J. Weaver, l.b.w., b. Johnston	3
A. Lingard, not out	13
T. H. Wood, did not bat	—
Extras	10
Total for eight wickets	183

Fall of wickets: 1 for 30, 2 for 41, 3 for 57, 4 for 57, 5 for 99, 6 for 128, 7 for 140, 8 for 157.

BOWLING ANALYSIS

	O.	M.	R.	W.
Kellner	7	—	37	1
Master	5	—	23	—
Harris	2	—	20	—
Pettit	7	—	62	4
Leriou	1	—	14	1
Inwood	1	—	8	—
Johnston	2	—	9	1

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

That Last Desperate Lunge

A. M. Fonseca breaks the tape to win the 100 yards wash in the Joint Utilities Sports Meeting held yesterday afternoon at the Shanghai American School. It was the speed of foot of this runner which was one of the main reasons that the Waterworks won the meeting by a comfortable margin.

Cathedral School Annual Sports

Excellent Performances by Young Athletes; Burns Takes Chief Honours

Before a large and enthusiastic crowd, consisting of friends and relatives of the competitors, the annual sports of the Cathedral School took place at the Kiaochow Park yesterday afternoon. Excellent times were returned in most events.

The outstanding athlete of the day was R. A. Burns who won easily every event in which he entered, coming first in the long jump, 100 yards dash and the cricket ball throw.

Following are results:—

100 yards (Open):—1, R. A. Burn; 2, P. E. Brewer; 3, J.L.S. Lumsdaine. Time:—11.3 seconds.

100 yards (Under 14):—1, S. D. Bradford; 2, D. L. Frost; 3, E. N. Fensham. Time:—13 seconds.

100 yards (Under 12):—1, E. Evans; 2, M. E. Anderson; 3, A. K. Knight.

60 yards (Prep. A):—1, F.C.G. Stewart; 2, J. C. White; 3, D. R. Gander. Time:—8.6 seconds.

50 yards (Prep. B.):—1, N. B. Laing, 2, E. Bouvier; 3, G. Arnold-Jones. Time:—9 seconds.

50 yards (Prep. C):—1, D. Rodger; 2, R. A. Bown; 3, I. T. Begley. Time:—7.8 seconds.

50 yards (Prep. D.):—1, D. S. Laing and D. R. Davies (dead heat); 3, P. N. Bates. Time:—8.4 seconds.

220 yards (Open):—1, J.L.S. Lumsdaine; 2, J. D. Gilbert; 3, A. J. Dodd. Time:—26 seconds.

220 yards (Under 14):—1, W. Morris; 2, D. L. Frost; 3, E. N. Fensham. Time:—31.4 seconds.

220 yards (Under 12):—1, E. Evans; 2, M. E. Anderson; 3, T.A.G. Steventon. Time:—33.8 seconds.

High jump (Open):—1, D. R. Fraser, 2, J.L.S. Lumsdaine and V. Baukham (tie). Height:—4ft. 4 ins.

High jump (Under 12):—1, B. L. Gander; 2, E. Evans; 3, T.A.G. Steventon. Height:—3 ft. 5 ins.

Long jump (Open):—1, R. A. Burn; 2, J. Fletcher; 3, J.L.S. Lumsdaine. Distance:—16 ft. 5 ins.

Long jump (Under 14):—1, L. M. Popple; 2, D. L. Frost; 3, T.R.H. Box. Distance:—11 ft. 6 ins.

440 yards (Open)—1, P. E. Brewer; 2, D. R. Fraser; 3, A. J. Dodd. Time:—62.8 seconds.

440 yards (Under 14):—1, W. Morris; 2, D. L. Frost; 3, A. P. Butchart. Time:—73.8 seconds.

Throwing the cricket ball (Under 129:—1, I.A.M. Wheldon; 2, J.P.K. Baker; 3, T.A.G. Steventon. Distance:—122 ft.

Throwing the cricket ball (Under 14):—1. E. N. Fensham; 2, J. G. Allen; 3, V. P. Edwards. Distance:—173 ft.

Throwing the cricket ball (Open):—1, R. A. Burn; 2, J. Fletcher; 3, A. J. Harvey. Disatnce:—277 ft.

150 yards (Open Handicap):—1, T.H.G. Huxley; 2, J.P.K. Baker; 3, A. K. Knight.

150 yards (Prep. Handicap):—1, Baker II; 2, Wells; 3, Knight II.

One mile (Open):—1, D. R. Fraser; 2, P. E. Brewer; 3, A. E. Middleton.

Cross country run (2⅞ miles):—1, D. R. Fraser; 2, A. E. Middleton; 3, P. E. Brewer. Time:—16 minutes 50 seconds.

Football throw in:—(Prep. A) 1, D. A. Parr. (Prep. B) 1, R. G. Currie. (Prep. C) 1, D. Davies. (Prep. D) 1, G.J.W. Baeten.

Sisters' race:—Won by Miss Kempton.

Old Boys' race:—Won by E. Smith.

Home Soccer Results

London, Oct. 22.

INTERNATION MATCH

Wales 4, England 2

Following are the results of the League Soccer matches played today:—

English League

1ST DIVISION

Arsenal 1, Preston North End 0
Aston Villa 1, Leicester City 2
Blackpool 1, Stoke City 1
Brentford 1, Chelsea 0
Derby County 5, Manchester United 1
Everton 4, Leeds United 0
Grimsby Town 1, Birmingham 0
Huddersfield Town 2, Bolton W. 1
Portsmouth 0, Charlton Athletic 2
Sunderland 1, Middlesbrough 2
Wolverhampton W. 2 Liverpool 2

2ND DIVISION

Blackburn Rovers 3, Tottenham H. 1
Bradford 2, Plymouth Argyle 2
Bury 2, Nottingham Forest 1
Chesterfield 2, Norwich City 0
Fulham 1, Southampton 1
Manchester City 3, Sheffield United 2
Sheffield Wednesday 2, Coventry City 2
Swansea Town 2, Luton Town 3
Tranmere R. 3, West Bromwich A. 1
West Ham United 1, Newcastle U. 1

3RD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Aldershot 1, Reading 1
Bistol City 2, Bristol Rovers 1
Clapton Orient 5, Southend United 0
Crystal Palace 1, Brighton & H. A. 0
Newport County 0, Exeter City 0
Northampton Town 2, Cardiff City 1
Notts County 2, Ipswich Town 1
Port Vale 5, Walsall 1
Swindon Town 1, Mansfield Town 2
Torquay United 2, Queen's P. R. 3
Watford 1, Bournemouth & B. A. 0

3RD DIVISION (NORTH)

Carlisle United 3, Stockport County 2
Crewe Alexandra 2, Accrington S. 1
Darlington 3, Lincoln City 1
Doncaster Rovers 3, Oldham Athletic 2
Gateshead 0, Bradford City 0
Hartlepools United 3, Hull City 3
Rochdale 2, New Brighton 0
Rotherham United 0, Halifax Town 1
Southport 0 Barnsley 0
Wrexham 3, Chester 2
York City 2, Barrow 3

Scottish League

1ST DIVISION

Albion Rovers 1, Queen's Park 3
Ayr United 3, Hibernian 1
Clyde 1, Queen of the South 1
Hearts 5, Aberdeen 2
Kilmarnock 3, Rangers 1
Motherwell 4, Arbroath 0
Partick Thistle 0, Celtic 0
Raith Rovers 2, Hamilton Acas. 1
St. Johnstone 6, Falkirk 3
Third Lanark 3, St. Mirren 3

2ND DIVISION

Brechin City 4, St. Bernards 1
Cowdenbeath 3, Dundee 1
Dundee United 1, Morton 0
Dunfermline Athletic 1, Alloa 4
East Fife 5, Dumbarton 1
Edinburgh City 2, King's Park 5
Forfar Athletic 4, Montrose 3
Leith Athletic 1, Airdrieonians 7
Stenhousemuir 3, East Stirlingshire 2
—Reuter.

Seaforths Subdue Lusitano

Clube's Defensive Weakness Largely Responsible For Outcome; Scottish Goalie Outstanding

THE match at the Canidrome yesterday afternoon between the Seaforths and the Clube Lusitano resulted in a win for the Scotsmen. There was a lot of open play by both sides and some very good movements but the score should have been higher for both sides. The Scots gave some fine displays of dribbling but were often just a bit too clever and lost many opportunities to score. The Lusitano team also tried out the Scottish style of keeping the ball at their feet but their play was more in favour of passing movements. In the Seaforths goal Atkinson proved himself to be very reliable and was the outstanding player of the Seaforths defence.

The Lusitano had themselves to blame for many of the goals scored against them in the first half through Victal getting badly out of position and allowing the opposing forwards to get through. It was, in fact, only due to the unlucky, and at times unsteady, shooting of Fraser and McGuigan that the Clube were fortunate in not having a much higher score put up against them.

The Seaforths were the first to open up the scoring. McGuigan passed a high shot over the front of the goal and Fraser ran in to head the ball in towards Braga who jumped and only just managed to touch the ball with his fingers but it was travelling too fast for him to stop. It was to Duncan that the credit for the second goal went when he carried the ball down and passed to Fraser who had only Gonzales and Braga to beat.

It took Lusitano 18 minutes to get their first goal from a free kick taken against Campbell for a sliding tackle just outside the penalty area. Oliviera took the kick and slipped the ball into the net past Atkinson. Rosario followed this up a few minutes later by taking a low drive at goal to bring Atkinson down in a spectacular full-length dive which sent the ball past the post.

The Seaforths third goal also went to Fraser when he took a forward pass and with Victal far behind him had only Braga to beat. With only three minutes to go to half time the Clube went on the defensive but a good pass from Peachy on the left wing to Fraser was intercepted by Olivieros who in attempting to clear passed the ball over to Ross on the Scotch right wing who lost no time in putting the ball back to Peachy who scored to give the Seaforths their fourth goal.

The second half started rather loosely with the Clube team having some changes in position, and no score came till fifteen minutes had elapsed when Fraser hit the post with the ball and it rebounded into the net past Braga. Ross followed this up within the minute and charging through between Gonzales and Braga carried the ball in for the sixth goal.

The Lusitano team were now making a concerted attack in an attempt to lessen the score against them and a passing move gave the ball to Rozario who dodged Campbell and put the score up to 6-2.

Two minutes later Peachy tried to score at the other end but the ball rebounded off the bar to let Fraser connect with his head and put the ball into the corner of the net past Braga for the Seaforths' seventh goal.

With only fifteen minutes to go the Clube managed to get another goal from a free kick against them taken by Laurie who failed to get the ball out of his own penalty area and J. Rozario got it through to score the last goal of the game.

SEAFORTHS:—Atkinson, Speirs, Campbell, MacAloon, McCusker, Laurie, Ross, McGuigan, Fraser, Duncan and Peachy.

LUSITANO.:—Braga, Victal, Gonzales, Silva, Oliviera, Lopes, Xavier, J. Rosario, L. Rosario, Sousa, and Remedios.

REFEREE:—Anderson.

LINESMEN:—Carnell and Dunn.

More Sports News on Page 11

All Star Softballers Trounce Marines

Dr. Nance Blasts Out Home Run at C.C.C.

For the third successive time, the All Star civilian softball team proved too powerful for the Second Battalion, champions of the Fourth Marines Intra Regimental League, as the contest which took place yesterday afternoon at the Columbia Country Club again resulted in an easy victory for civilians by a score of 7-3.

The All Stars shot out right in the very beginning and collected four hits for a three-run lead. Deegan, Williams, Krause and Huebner turned loose with their bats. In the fourth inning the winners bunched their shots again, lamming out the same number of blows to chalk up two more markers. In this barrage Daniels, Williams, Huebner and Squires did the work. Dr. F. Nance added more colour by knocking out a home run in the fifth canto.

The Marines netted all their tallies in the seventh round, getting four hits off "Dud" Squires.

The line-up were:

All Stars:—Deegan, 2b, Daniels lf, Williams, rf, Krause, 3b, Huebner, rf, Carson, ss, Nance, r, Fielden, cf, and Morang, c.

Marines:—Winchester, 2b, Biangini, ss, Beeson, lb, Depizol, p, Sargent, c, Kohanski, r, Farrell, cf, Juracko, lf, Turnbull, cf, and Ferra, 3b.

Irish Hospital Silver Jubilee Sweepstakes

Three Tickets Held In Far East

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Dublin, Oct. 22.

Among the purchasers of tickets in the Irish Hospitals' Silver Jubilee Sweepstakes which drew horses at the drawing at the Mansion House here yesterday morning, are three domiciled in the Far East.

Olympus was drawn by "P.V.", on ticket No. 89746 and Wow Wow was drawn by a Hongkong resident, "178 Nathan Road, Kowloon."

Flying Image was drawn by "G.Y.B., c/o K. M. Liang, 9 Pad Hua Li, Recreation Road, Tientsin."—Reuter.

Tientsin Resident Wins

SPECIAL TO THE "N.C.D.N."

Dublin, Oct. 22.

A fourth resident in China has won in the Irish Sweepstakes. Ticket No. 10212, held by T.F.L.B., c/o KM. Liang, 9 Pad Hua Li, Recreation Road, Tientsin, won the Residual Prize of £106.—Reuter.

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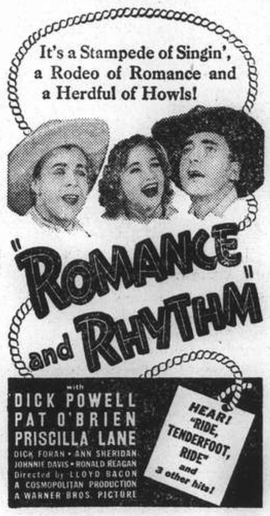

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DRAWING OCTOBER 30

Merry Jester Wins Narrowly From Gold Vase

Newcastle's Threat to Merrylight Fizzles Out; Eight Extra Race Meeting at S.R.C.

By "The Chaser"

TWO-FIGURE dividends were returned in most of the races yesterday when the Shanghai Race Club held its Eighth Extra Race Meeting of the year. The lowest dividend was paid by Merrylight when he scored a convincing victory in the Griffins' Sweepstakes to beat Antonio and Libertylight. Newcastle, who was the favourite in the race carried twenty-nine more tickets than Merrylight but ran very disappointingly to finish the last of four starters. Zucchini, ridden by Bell, in the novice race paid the highest dividend of the day when he won the third race to pay $80.20.

Merry Jester ran a great race to turn the tables on his popular rival Gold Vase who has always had the better end of the verdict in their previous encounters. T. L. Wong rode a well judged race to bring his mount, Merry Jester, a neck ahead of Gold Vase in the "classic" of the day while the Grand Old Man of the races Mou Tan Hua withstood Roehampton's determined challenge to retain third place two lengths away.

Night Express, as expected, went into the lead the moment the tape went up and set a really "hot" pace. The field took no chances of him scoring a runaway win and followed him closely with Mefistofele and The Mars in front. The position was unchanged until nearly the Monument when Merry Jester dashed through the field to run second with Gold Vase on his tail. Merry Jester did not pass Night Express until the last furlong when he spurted and took the lead but Gold Vase refused to be left behind and followed him. Gold Vase drew level fifty yards from the post but when Wong asked Merry Jester for the extra bit the gallant pony responded beautifully and again forged into the lead to win by a neck.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Easy for Merrylight

Merrylight being led in after being piloted home by R. B. Moller as the winner in the second race yesterday.

Sammy Sets the Pace

The day's proceedings started with a mile and a half race for second class ponies which fell to the Chairman's pony, The Swan. Sammy headed the field all the way until the last quarter when nearly the whole field passed him. At the last quarter the field was well bunched and it was anybody's race until The Swan shot out just before the post to take the lead and win by half a length. Un Un Un was second while Corps Cavalry just got the better of Duke of Cornwall to fill third place.

The second race saw the miserable failure of Newcastle who, after running indifferently all the way, tailed off to finish last.

New General, who was ridden by T. L. Wong won the seven furlongs for second class ponies in the unusally fast time of 1.47.3 beating Goldenlight and White Wine. Goldenlight established a good lead soon after the start and was four lengths ahead of the field at the Monument. Phantom led the field but was closely followed by Don Pedro and Beautylight. New General came through the field soon after the Monument and when the last quarter was reached he was second. Goldenlight led until about a hundred yards from home when he was passed by New General who carried on to win by a length.

The fifth race was divided into two sections to avoid an unwieldy field. The first division was won by Drumalla who beat Bramshot and Goldenray. Man O'Pep gaily galloped ahead of the field the first time round and finished way behind the field trotting, much to the disgust of his jockey. Record Mark and Port St Mary replaced Man O'Pep when he died out at the five furlong post and kept it un il the last quarter when Drumalla shot out of the field to gallop on and win by a length and a half while Goldenray was third also a length and half away.

Near Sensation

The second division almost resulted in a sensational win which might have resulted if Kanoungtoe, who was second, had beaten Merry Memories, who was the eventual winner. Kanoungtoe would have rewarded his backers over $200 for a win ticket. Third place was also filled by an outsider, Duke of York.

Cherrylight, a favourite in the sixth race could do no better than run third in the open race over seven furlongs. Bober who has been knocking at the door for a long time finally obliged his backers by winning the race and proving once again that "patience is a virtue." Woodbridge, with six pounds extra, beat Cherrylight by a neck to take third place.

The eighth race, which was the 'A' class of the griffins' handicap, resulted in an easy win for Flyinglight, who, after being kept behind until the last quarter, came with a wonderful burst of speed to win comfortably by three lengths from Mr. Henchman's two ponies Bagshot and Rye.

The "B" class of the griffins' handicap was also annexed by the Cire stable when their pony Crispylight beat Raibais by a length to win. Brave Raider was third, a neck away.

1.—Race. 1½ mile.
The Swan (Winsome & Hasty) 157 A. Noodt 1
Un-Un-Un (G. J. Mary) 157 G. P. Gram 2
Corps Cavalry (Manx) 155 J. Pote-Hunt 3
Also ran:—Duke of Cornwall (R. Morgan), Rockylight (R. B. Moller), Sammy (Gabor Renner), Sparkfoot (H. Maitland), Cottonlight (C. B. Moller).
Won by ½ length; a head.
Time, 3.21½ sec.
Forecast Pool: Winning Combination 4/5 (Letter A1). Dividend $188.20.
Win, $58. Places, $13, $9.40, $7.20.

2.—Race. THE GRIFFINS SWEEPSTAKES. 9 furlongs.
Merrylight (Cire) 160 R. B. Moller 1
Antonio (P. G. C.) 157 A. Noodt 2
Libertylight (Cire) 152 C. B. Moller 3
Also ran:—Newcastle (A. F. Clark).
Won by 4 lengths; 4 lengths.
Time, 2.20⅘ sec.
Forecast Pool: Winning Combination 1/2 (Letter B1). Dividend $119.
Win, $10.60. Places, $7, $11.60.

3.—Race. 7 furlongs.
Zucchini (P. G. C.) 148 E. J. Bell 1
Saucylight (Cire) 156 E. B. Moller 2
Morning Glory (Morning) 157 G. V. Cherdynzeff 3
Also ran:—Houdini (F. X. Diniz), Claverton (V. L. Xavier), Kanoungtoe (R. Morgan), Sober Morn (B. Mielck), Doodle-do (W. G. Turbyfill), Downside (L. C. Kew), Friesenfels (M. Perske), Experience (A. V. Striker), Loch Mhor (R. H. Robertson).
Sweep: (1) 138, (2) 258, (3) 700.
Unplaced: 142, 114, 623, 111, 91, 237, 53, 81, 108.
Won by ¾ length; 1½ length.
Time, 1.50 sec.
Win, $80.20. Places, $21.60, $9.40, $22.60.

4.—Race. 7 furlongs.
New General (China) 160 T. L. Wong 1
Goldenlight (Cire) 153 C. B. Moller 2
White Wine (A. V. White) 156 G. P. Gram 3
Also ran:—Don Pedro (J. Pote-Hunt), Steve Brodie (H. Maitland), Beautylight (R. B. Moller), Dow Jones (A. V. Striker), Romford (Gabor Renner), Lilum (H. W. Keep), Phantom (F. Marshall), Cherrybey (F. Noodt), Don Agustin (S. Y. Sung), Don Victor (A. Noodt), Wet Morn (R. D. Parkin).
Sweep: (1) 621, (2) 676, (3) 452.
Unplaced: 156, 270, 395, 109, 352, 688, 131, 664, 401, 199, 296.
Won by 1 length; a head.
Time, 1.47⅘ sec.
Win, $63.60. Places, $23.20, $13.60, $16.

5.—Race. 1½ mile.
Drumalla (A. H. George) 158 R. B. Moller 1
Bramshot (Jewell) 152 Gabor Renner 2
Goldenray (M. K.) 157 F. Marshall 3
Also ran:—Record Mark (V. L. Xavier), Dah Wu Dai (P. Y. Vong), Clever Lad (G. C. Grossett), Port St. Mary (C. B. Moller), Man O'Pep (R. Morgan), Sir Charles (E. J. Bell), Gilt Edge (F. Noodt), Artimid (A. C. Kew).
Sweep: (1) 834, (2) 332, (3) 728.
Unplaced: 689, 102, 767, 787, 682, 219, 638, 694.
Won by 1½ length; 1½ length.
Time, 3.20⅘ sec.
Win, $17. Places, $6.60, $8.20, $7.20.

5A.—Race. 1½ mile.
Merry Memories (F. S.) 157 A. C. Kew 1
Kanoungtoe (Hans Luft) 152 R. Morgan 2
Duke of York (Alone) 153 M. Perske 3
Also ran:—Receivership (J. B. Lok), Cinema Morn (R. R. Parkin), Sky Raider (J. S. Chwang), Wellenfels (E. B. Cumine), Morning Spin (T. L. Wong), Royal Scot (G. P. Gram), Smart Morn (H. M. Pih), Ideal King (J. Pote-Hunt).
Sweep: (1) 1261, (2) 1043, (3) 1303.
Unplaced: 1028, 1244, 1220, 1338, 1274, 1266, 1305, 1301.
Won by 2 lengths; 2 lengths.
Time, 3.20⅘ sec.
Win, $59.40. Places, $20, $33, $30.

6.—Race. 7 furlongs.
Bober (H. & K.) 155 G. P. Gram 1
Woodbridge (A. S. Henchman) 161 A. F. Clark 2
Cherrylight (Cire) 158 R. B. Moller 3
Also ran:—King of Kings (J. Pote-Hunt), The Frigate (A. Noodt), Going Haywire (Gabor Renner), Honeymoon Gift (J. B. Lok), Busted Straight (A. C. Kew).
Sweep: (1) 110, (2) 207, (3) 119.
Unplaced: 19, 688, 264, 515, 338.
Won by 1½ length; a neck.
Time, 1.47⅘ sec.
Forecast Pool: Winning Combination 4/6 (Letter C1). Dividend $113.60.
Win, $34. Places, $7.40, $7, $5.80.

7.—Race. 11 furlongs.
Merry Jester (C. S. Mao) 155 T. L. Wong 1
Gold Vase (We Two) 152 M. Maitland 2
Mou Tan Hua (Manx) 155 J. Pote-Hunt 3
Also ran:—Roehampton (A. F. Clark), Smokylight (C. B. Moller), Night Express (Gabor Renner), The Mars (R. D. Parkin), Stolzeneck (E. B. Cumine), Mefistofele (J. B. Lok).
Sweep: (1) 646, (2) 864, (3) 243.
Unplaced: 56, 761, 386, 206, 159, 744.
Won by a neck; 2 lengths.
Time, 2.56⅓ sec.
Win, $12.80. Places, $5.60, $5.60, $6.60.

8.—Race. "A CLASS". 1 mile.
Flyinglight (Cire) 157 R. B. Moller 1
Bagshot (A. S. Henchman) 160 J. Pote-Hunt 2
Rye (A. S. Henchman) 164 A. F. Clark 3
Also ran:—Port Bradda (G. P. Gram), Cordon Bleu (H. Maitland), Sumatra (F. Marshall), White Birthday (R. Morgan), Friskylight (C. B. Moller).
Sweep: (1) 155, (2) 179, (3) 121.
Unplaced: 625, 160, 654, 229, 13.
Won by 3 lengths; 2 lengths.
Time, 2.06⅘ sec.
Forecast Pool: Winning Combination 3/2 (Letter D1). Dividend $257.40.
Win, $44.20. Places, $9.60, $9.40, $7.60.

9.—Race. "B CLASS". 1 mile.
Crispylight (Cire) 158 R. B. Moller 1
Raibais (Yulee) 143 G. P. Gram 2
Brave Raider (Sing Lee) 152 S. Y. Sung 3
Also ran:—Colorado Kid (R. H. Robertson), The Midget (W. G. Turbyfill), Milkylight (C. B. Moller), Rhein-Fels (E. B. Cumine), Ghenghis Khan (F. X. Diniz), Man O'Zest (J. Pote-Hunt), Ironsides (V. G. Sung), Little Joe (H. W. Keep), Cavalier (F. Noodt), The Jacana (A. Noodt), Night Raider (A. Johnstone), Hook McGlook (V. L. Xavier), Sandy (F. Marshall).
Sweep: (1) 195, (2) 384, (3) 265.
Unplaced: 310, 614, 721, 172, 639, 658, 247, 608, 249, 840, 528, 267, 489.
Won by 1 length; a neck.
Time, 2.08⅘ sec.
Win, $13.40. Places, $8.80, $30, $45.60.

"N.C.D.N." Photo.

Rugger is Here Again

Some sixty men turned out yesterday for the first practice of the season and are here seen going through their paces at the Race Course. Vigorous play developed and the indications were that Shanghai Rugby Union Football Club will not be lacking in material this year.

Shanghai Rugger Season Begins

Nearly Sixty Men Turn Out at Race Course for Practice; Good Prospects

For the first practice of the Shanghai rugby season which officially began at the Race Course yesterday afternoon, nearly sixty players turned out to indulge in various early season tactics with the object of getting into shape for competitive play which is to start next week-end.

From what was observed of the numerous movements gone through in the way of scrum practice, quick moving bouts of passing, dribbling and line-outs, Shanghai is certainly going to be well served in attack and defence this winter, several players, some newcomers and some having participated for many years, showing up very well indeed.

The weather was not as kind as it might have been to the opening day, the hot sun soon having members in a lather, while the hard ground was far from conducive to any hearty tackling. After a few bursts up and down the pitch to get the feel of the ball once again, two fifteens were arranged on the field and a quarter-of-an-hour each way "touch" game was spiritedly played.

Plenty of Vigour

This served its purpose very well and during the thirty minutes that the match was in progress some very high-standard play was seen, despite the fact that players were a long way from concert pitch and have yet to recover their winter speed and wind.

The result, 6-6, two tries each, was a fair indication of the run of the game. The forwards of both sides conducted themselves with plenty of vigour, packed low and hard, heeled creditably, shoved well and were always on the ball when following up.

Reynolds, the Cheshire County forward, was outstanding, and although perhaps he, of many, was pleased when the final whistle sounded, he showed without the slightest shadow of a doubt that before the season is ended, provided he does not incur injuries, opposing packs and threes are going to know all about his presence in the Shanghai scrum. Others in the forwards who showed up specially well were Richmond, Wheeler, Bradford and Tay.

On the play, there is every indication that competition for positions on the 1st XV among the halves, threes and full-backs will be most keen and selection will only be made after several matches have been completed.

Police Look Promising

On the adjoining pitch the Police turned up good numbers and whilst their practice did not include an actual match, the material present was more than promising and in the course of a month or so is likely to offer strong opposition to other local sides. Scrummages, threes movements, dribbling and line-outs were all assiduously gone through and while it was noted that some of those present were new to the handling code, they appeared very quick in grasping essential points, never making the same mistake twice.

There is lots of speed in this aggregation as well as numerous powerfully built forwards who, if they can get down to brass tacks and get together as a scrum will prove a most useful pack.

No official practice is scheduled for this afternoon but the grounds are open as is the Clubhouse for all interested and enthusiastic members who care to turn out.

Local Soccer Results

Shanghai league soccer results yesterday were:

Seaforths 7, Lusitano 3
H. M. Navy 6, Abeitlung 4
J.A.C. 5, Sokol 4
Fr. Forces 0, A. Details 0
P.T.H. 4, R.A.M.C. 0

Shanghai Wins Bowls Interport Series

The final Lawn Bowls Interport Match between Shanghai and Hongkong was played yesterday on the greens of the Club de Recreio and resulted in a win for Shanghai by 20 shots to 17. Shanghai was represented by H. Wallace (skip), A. M. Gutierrez, J. M. C. Lopes and K. L. Swartzell.

Shanghai has therefore won the series with two wins and one draw.

Shelaeff Startles U.S. Sports Writers

Inflicts Severe Punishment On Rated Welterweight

San Francisco, Oct. 21.

Andre Shelaeff, welterweight champion of the Orient in training here for his American debut on October 28 against Johnny Fasano, today created a gymnasium sensation when he badly punished George Salvatore in a three round workout.

Salvatore took so much punishment, even with sixteen ounce gloves, that the workout was cut short.

It is noteworthy that Salvatore, a rated welter, went ten rounds on May 21 of last year with Ceferino Garcia without once going down, although he dropped the decision.

Among other men Salvatore has met are Milt Aron, Chuck Woods, Frankie Genovese, Harold Brown, Gordon Wallace and Eddie Carroll.

Shelaeff's feat in so severely battering Salvatore today with sixteen ounce gloves caused profound incredulity among sports writers, who did not know what to make of the performance.

May Go to New York

Heinrich Seelig, manager of Shelaeff, told the United Press that Shelaeff's training is shaping up nicely, and that he hoped to win next week though not caring to make any commitments.

Seelig added that he expected to sign for additional fights in this city in the event Shelaeff wins, although there is a possibility he may take his fighter either to Los Angeles or New York, at present the hottest boxing spots in the country.

Shelaeff signed yesterday to meet Fasano, "King of the Club Fighters," at the Dreamland Auditorium on October 28 in what will be his first fight on American soil.

His showing against the rugged and hard-hitting Fasano, who has never been knocked down, is being awaited with keen interest by local fans.—United Press.

Autumn Champions at Auditorium Today

Second Stage of Hai-Alai Programme Promising

The Autumn Champions at the Auditorium goes into its second stage today, for this afternoon the outstanding members of its Super division are to meet in the second qualifying round of the seasonal titular race. In addition to" The Big Three" of Arana, Andrinua and Salsamendi, several great favourites, among them Alberdi, Hernando and Taboada, are included. The full line-up for this afternoon's championship heat will be:—

1. Guridi.
2. Garate.
3. Olaso.
4. Hernando.
5. Taboada.
6. Acha.
7. Alberdi.
8. Arana.
9. Salsamendi.
10. Andrinua.

Andrinua, youthful Barcelona importation, has been ceded the prized anchor position over the claims of Arana and Salsamendi due to the exceptionally fine form he has displayed of late, and a tense struggle is expected before the five qualifying places for the Supers in the final are decided today.

Upsets already have featured the Hai-Alai Autumn Champions, the triumph of Agote, Forum exchange player, being totally unexpected. It was unprecedented inasmuch as Agote made himself the first Tientsin player to win a championship heat in Shanghai. Agote is regarded as Tientsin's ace pelotari and in view of his brilliant victory last Sunday will enter the final next Sunday afternoon something of a strong favourite, particularly if today's eliminations produce further upsets.

Following the Super heat of the Autumn Champions today, the final will be played at next Sunday's matinee, at the close of which the drawing of the cash sweep prizes will take place.

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Java Guilders .... ,, 29⅜
Netherlands Guilders ......Selling 28⅝
Java Guilders .... ,, 28⅝

American Express Co., Inc.

Buying U.S.$100=$625.00 £1=$29.768
Selling U.S.$100=$634.921 £1=$30.00

Italian Bank For China

It. Lire 2.90=$1 Swiss Frs. 0.69½=$1
Tourist Lire 3.21 ....$1

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Belgas 0.93=$1 Belgas 28.07=£1

Other Quotations

Berlin-Hamburg T.T. $100=Rm. 39¼
$100=Reg. Mk. 84.00

Local Exchange Report

Messrs. Drakeford, Davis & Wilson

INTERBANK CASH DELIVERY

£	Highest 8d.	Lowest 8d.
U.S. G.$	15 27/32	15 13/16
Yen	—	—

MERCHANTS CLOSING RATES

SELLING Cash		BUYING Oct.	
*£ T.T.	8	4 m/s. l.c.	8 1/16
G.$ T.T.	15¾	4 m/s. l.c.	16
Fcs. T.T.	593	4 m/s.	615
Rs. T.T.	44⅜	7 d/s.	45

BAR SILVER

	READY	FOR'D
London pence per std. oz.	19¾	19 9/16
N.Y. cents per oz. troy	42¾	—
Bombay Rs. per 100 tolas	51.05	—

Bombay offtake Nil bars.
*Hongkong Bank only

London silver was 1/16 up both ready and forward, being 19¾ for ready and 19 9/16 forward. New York was unchanged at 42¾ and Bombay was 2 annas up at 51.05.

It was reported there was a little Indian buying. Sellers were reserved. Business small. Market steady. After the official fixing the market ruled rather dull, with India offering at the fixed rate.

The local exchange market opened with sellers to merchants at 8d sterling and 15¾ U.S.$.

The Interbank market opened uncertain with rather buyers at 8d sterling and 15⅞ U.S.$, but more interest was being shewn in October delivery at which there were buyers soon after the opening at 7 15/16 sterling and 15¾ U.S.$. Sellers came out at these rates and the market turned firm for a time business being done for October as high as 7 63/64 sterling and 15 31/32 U.S.$.

At the close the market was easier and there were reluctant sellers at:—

8d. sterling	15 27/32	U.S.$	Cash
7 31/32 ,,	15¾	U.S.$.	Oct.
7 15/16 ,,	15⅝	U.S.$.	Nov.

Foreign Exchanges

Bombay Rupee T. T. on: Oct. 21.

Japan	78⅝	London	1/5 29/32
New York	282½	2 mths	
Shanghai	47	,, (sellers)	1/5 29/32
Hongkong	85	,, (buyers)	1/5 15/16

London £ Sterling T. T. on:

New York	476.37	Shanghai	8½d N
Paris	178.75	Bombay	1/5 61/64
Berlin	11.89	Hongkong	1/3
Amsterdam	8.75¾	Singapore	2/4
Brussels	28.16	Yokohama	1/2
Madrid	100.00	,, (buying)	unq.
Milan	90.43	C'slovakia	138.00
Berne	20.97		

New York U.S.$ T. T. on:

Berlin	40.07	Japan	27.78
Spain	Unq.	Shanghai	15.95
Holland	54.40	Austria	Unq.
Paris	2.66½	C'slovakia	3.45
Brussels	16.91	Hungary	19.80
Italy	*5.26¼	Rumania	0.74½
S'zerland	22.71	Yugo Slavia	2.30
Sweden	24.55	Greece	0.87½
Norway	23.95	Bulgaria	1.25
Denmark	21.27	Finland	2.11½
Montreal	99.060	Poland	18.85
Brazil	5.90		

London	4.76 1/16
,, Demand	4.76 1/16
,, Bankers' 60 days bills	4.76 1/32
,, Commercial 60 days bills	4.76 1/32
Buenos Aires, Paper	29.56
,, ,, ,, market rate	25.10
Montreal on London	4.81 1/16

—Reuter.

Foreign Money Rates

London: Oct. 21.

Fine Bank Bills,	3 months	0 23/32%
Bank Bills,	6 months	1%
Fine Trade Bills,	3 months	2¾%
Fine Trade Bills,	6 months	3¼%
Call Money		0½%

New York:

Bankers' Acceptances for 1, 2 and 3 months	0½%B / 0 7/16%A
Bankers' Acceptances for 4 months	0 9/16%B / 0½%A
Call Money	1%

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Manila Gold Shares

(Closing Bids in Pesos)

	Oct. 21	Oct. 22
Antamok	.36	.42
Atok	.33	.33
Benguet Consolidated	11.40	11.70
Coco Grove	.43	.44
Consolidated Mines	.003	.003
Demonstration	.27	.27
Masbate	.22	.23
San Mauricio	.84	.90
United Paracale	.36	.37

Turnover: 381,000 Pesos.
Shares Index: (closing prices) 89.77.
—Reuter.

Berlin Bourse

Berlin, Oct. 21.

Today's share market was in a quiet mood and sales were restricted to only a few issues. The outstanding feature of the market were realization sales of mining shares following the big gains of the last few days. Both bank customers and operators seemed reluctant to enter on new business particularly as there were no reports coming in to act as stimulant. Price movements did not exceed one percent.—Trans-Ocean.

Shanghai Stocks

Yesterday's Business

Official Averages

1938 High	Low		Today's Average	Change
143.16	103.30	General	127.50	—0.21
148.65	95.55	Rubbers	143.82	—0.30

Volume 28,259 shares, 438 Bonds.

Morning Session

OFFICIAL

		CASH
T6,800	S. M. C. 6% 1926 Debs.	T 95.25
$30,500	S'hai Power 5½% Debs.	$ 79.50
$5,000	S. M. C. 5½% Debs.	$ 89.00
T1,500	China Realty 8% Debs.	T 45.00
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.80
1,000	Yangtsze Finance	$ 5.00
200	Wheelock	$ 22.00
700	Exploration	$ 6.75
100	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.70
4,000	Cheng	$ 0.53
200	Wheelock	$ 22.00
20	Champ de Courses (French)	$ 37.50
5	Champ de Courses (Founders)	$ 55.00
800	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.80
200	Anglo Java	$ 15.70
300	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 16.90
70	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.00
1,000	Exploration	$ 6.75
1,000	Kota	$ 2.70
1,500	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.00
1,000	Cheng	$ 0.53
1,000	S'hai Loan	$ 5.20
300	Tram (Bearer) £1	$ 34.50
100	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.20
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.30
100	Kaiping	$ 24.50
1,000	New Eng. (Ord)	$ 4.80
200	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.40
300	Wheelock	$ 22.00
75	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.00
1,000	Exploration	$ 6.70
3,000	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.30
1,800	Exploration	$ 6.75
500	S'hai Land	$ 7.75
10	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.25
500	S'hai Loan	$ 5.15
200	S'hai Land	$ 7.60
2	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.00
3,000	Consolidated	$ 4.50
10	S'hai Power (Pref)	$114.25
400	Wheelock	$ 22.00
7	S'hai Telephone	$ 54.00
500	Int. Assurance	$ 3.50
60	S. W. W. "A" £20	$610.00
500	Ayer Tawah	$ 5.40
100	Ewo Mills (Ord)	$ 17.40
1,000	Tanah Merah	$ 2.02½

London Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, Oct. 21.

Activity on the Stock Exchange today improved after a quiet opening, with prices moving higher, particularly among iron, steel and oil issues, where substantial gains were recorded.—Reuter.

	Oct. 20	21
War Loan 3½% (Red.)	£100¾	100¾
JAPANESE BONDS		
Japan 5% Stg. Loan, 1907	43½	45
Japan 6% Stg. Loan, 1924	53	54

Osaka, Oct. 22.

Kogo 5% Y.104.11

COMMERCIAL AND INDUSTRIAL		
Allied Ironfounders	19/3	19/3
Armstrong, Stevens	5/9	5/9
Assoc. & Elec. Indus.	37/3	37/3
Austin Motors, ord.	23/9	23/9
Bristol Aeroplane, ord.	56/4½	56/4½
British American Tob.	101/3	101/3
Cable & W., new form	43¾	43½
Cammell Laird, ord.	7/7½	8/1½
Courtaulds	28/4½	28/3
Distillers	92/6	92/6
Dunlop Rubber	23/-	23/4½
General Elec. (Eng.)	76/-	76/3
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	98/3	96/3
Hawker Siddeley Aircraft	28/1½	28/4½
Imp. Chem. Indus.	30/6	30/9
Imp. Tobacco	135/-	135/-
Leyland Motors	85/3	85/3
Marks & Spencer "A" ord.	55/10½	56/6
Pressed Steel, com.	13/7½	13/7½
Rolls-Royce	100/10½	101/10½
Smethwick Drop Forgings	16/-	16/-
Tate & Lyle	74/-	75/-
Turner & Newall	77/-	77/6
United Steel	24/3	24/10½
Vickers, ord.	22/6	23/4½
Woolworths	59/9	60/-
MISCELLANEOUS		
Anglo Dutch	28/9	28/6
Rubber Pltn. Trust.	30/4½	30/3
MINES		
Burma Corp.	10/4½	10/3
Commonwealth Min.	2/-	2/-
Marsman Invest.	15/6	15/6
Randfontein Ests.	39/10½	40/9
Sub-Nigel	241/3	243/9
Tanami Gold Min.	4½d.	4½d.
Western Holdings	16/4½	17/3
OILS		
Anglo Iranian	96/3	96/10½
Burmah	90/-	90/7½
Mexican Eagle	4/9	5/3
Shell Trans. & Trad.	87/6	88/1½
CHINESE EXTERNAL LOANS, ETC.		
4½% Gold Loan, 1898	£75½	75½
5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	70	70
4½% Anglo-French Loan	80	80
5% Crisp Loan, 1912	42	42
5% Reorg. Loan, 1913	55	54½
8% Stg. Notes, 1925	15	15
5% Honan Rly., 1905	28	28
5% Hukuang Rly., 1911	25	25
5% ,, ,, (Ger. Is.)	23	23
5% Lung Tsing U. H. Rly.	16	16
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	24	24
5% T'tsin-Pukow Rly. B.	19	19
5% ,, ,, G.	19	19
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) B.	19	19
5% ,, ,, (Supl. Loan) G.	19	19
5% Canton-Kowloon Rly.	19	19
S'hai Elec. Construction	25/- N	25/- N
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½ N	19½ N
Un. Ins. Soc. of Canton	30½	30½
Chartd. Bank of I. A. & C.	9½	9½
H. & S. Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	84	83
,, ,, (Col. Reg.)	86	26½
Chinese Eng.' & Min.	16/9	16/9
Chosen Corp.	7/-	7/-
Pekin Syndicate	£ 2/- N	2/- N
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	23/9	23/9

N—Nominal.

British Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

London, Oct. 21.

Among commodities, rubber, cotton and wheat moved slightly higher, while sugar and base metals declined.

London Rubber: Spot buyers 8⅜ +1/16; sellers 8 7/16 +1/16; Nov. del. buyers 8⅜ +1/16; sellers 8 7/16 +1/16.

London Sugar (Buyers) Dec. 5/1 —½; Mar. 5/2¼ —½; May 5/3 —½.

Liverpool Wheat: Oct. 4-11 +⅝; Dec. 4/8⅝ +1; Mar. 4/8 +¾.

Liverpool Cotton: Amer. Futures: Oct. 4.84 +6; Jan. 4.82 +6; Mar. 4.81 +7; May 4.77 +7. Egyptian Futures (Giza, F.G.F. No. 7) Oct. 7.56 —1; Nov. 7.56 —1; Jan. 7.81 +5; Mar. 7.80 +6.

London Metals: Copper, Stan. Cash sellers £45⅝ —1/16; 3 mths del. sellers £45⅞ —1/16; Electrolytic buyers £51½ —⅛; sellers £52½ unc; Tin, Stan. Cash sellers £208½ —½; 3 mths del. sellers £209½ —½; Lead, Foreign, official price, sellers £16⅛ —¼; 3 mths del. sellers £16 3/16. Spelter, Ordinary, official price, sellers £15¼ —⅛; 3 mths del. sellers £15 5/16 —⅛.—Reuter.

U.S. Firms to Produce New Yarn

New York, Oct. 21.

The Celanese Corporation announced today that it was building a US$10,000,000 plant to produce new yarn within a year which hosiery makers predicted would eliminate Japanese silk imports for hosiery in the American market.

The DuPont interests were also building a US$7,000,000 plant to produce yarn which, it was believed, would overcome objections to previous synthetic silk products.—United Press.

New York Stocks

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, Oct. 21.

Stock prices on Wall Street today finished with gains up to about one point predominating, with encouraging news in the background the chief sustaining factor. Rails responded to the very favourable carloadings report. Opinion, however, is divided regarding the forthcoming Wage and Hour decision. Aircrafts were sustained by the large volume of unfilled orders on hand, while steels received support. Motors ruled firm on a substantial increase in production figures. Meanwhile, moderate irregularity failed to bring out much stock, and sentiment remains bullish for a long pull. In the bond section, Japanese issues firmed up on general buying in view of the latest news of the capture of Canton, while some speculative buying also appeared. The turnover today amounted to 1,720,000 shares.

Dow-Jones Averages

	High	Low	Close	Changes
30 Indust.	153.01	151.36	152.15	+0.63
20 Rails	31.68	31.05	31.13	+0.14
15 Utilit.	24.04	23.46	23.53	—0.31
40 Bonds	—	—	89.76	+0.17
11 Commod.	—	—	49.03	+0.43

	Oct. 20	21
Adams Express	12¼	12¼
Alleghany Ludlum Steel	18⅝	19
Allis Chalmers	52⅜	51¾
Amerada Corp.	67¾	69
Amer. Can	101½	102¾
Amer. & For. Power	4⅜	4⅜
,, ,, $5 pfd.	20¼	20½
Amer. Locomotive	24¾	24¾
Amer. Metal	43	43¼
Amer. Radiator	18¼	18¼
Amer. Rolling Mill	19	19
Amer. Smelting	54½	55½
Amer. Sugar Refining	27½	28
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	147	146½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	90½	90
Amer. Waterworks	13⅞	14
Anaconda Copper	39¾	40
Atchison, T. & S. Fe	38⅝	38⅜
Auburn	B 3¾	4
Baltimore & Ohio	8½	8½
Baltimore & Ohio, $4 pfd.	9⅝	9¾
Barber Asphalt Corp.	22⅝	22¼
Barnsdall Oil Co.	17⅞	17½
Bethlehem Steel	64	64
Boeing Airplane Co.	28	27½
Borg Warner	35	35
Briggs Mfg. Co.	35¼	35⅜
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	11	11¼
,, $6 cum. pfd.	31¼	31½
Can. Pacific Rly.	6½	6⅝
Case, J.I.	92	92⅝
Case Nat. Bank	B 33	B 33½
Chesapeake & Ohio	35⅝	35¾
Chrysler	82¼	82⅝
Columbia Gas & Elec.	8¾	8¾
,, ,, "A"	*B 75	B 76
Coml. Credit	54⅞	54⅞
Comm. & Southern (ord.)	1⅞	1⅞
,, $6 cum. pfd.	49¼	48¾
Consolid. Edison	32¼	31¾
Consolid. Oil	9⅜	9⅛
Continental Can	44⅝	45
Continental Oil	29½	30
Corn Products	69½	69½
Curtiss Wright (com.)	6¾	6¾
,, ,, "A"	25⅞	25⅞
Distillers Corp.	20⅜	20¾
Douglas Aircraft	57½	58⅛
Du Pont de Nemours	147	146½
Eagle Picher Lead	13¼	13¼
Elec. Bond & Sh.	13⅜	13
,, ,, $5 pfd.	59⅛	60¼
,, ,, $6 pfd.	65	65½
Elec. Power & Lt.	41¾	41⅝
Flintkote	27⅞	28⅛
Gen. Amer. Trans.	52	54¼
Gen. Elec.	44¾	45¼
Gen. Motors	50⅝	50⅞
Gen. Rly. Signal	B 22¼	23½
Glidden Co.	25	25
Goodrich (B.F.)	25½	25⅜
,, $5 pfd.	61½	61
Goodyear Tire & R.	32½	32½
Great Nthrn. Iron Ore	13½	13¾
Great Nthrn. Rly.	23⅞	23½
Great Western Sugar	29¾	29½
Greyhound Corp.	19½	19¾
Hecker Prods.	8⅞	9
Int. Nickel	56	56⅛
Int. Tel. & Tel.	9⅞	10⅜
Kennecott	49⅛	48⅜
Libby-Owens-Ford	57	56⅛
Lockheed Aircraft	19¼	18½
Loew's Inc.	55⅝	56⅛
Macy, R.H.	46	46¾
Manhattan Shirt Co.	13¾	B 13¼
Martin, Glenn L. Co.	30	29¾
McKesson & Rob.	34⅞	B 35
Monsanto Chemical	103⅜	103¼
Montgomery Ward	52⅜	52½
Nat. City Bank	B 25¾	B 26
Nat. Dairy Prods.	14¼	14½
Nat. Distillers	27⅜	27¼
Nat. Lead	27	27
Nat. Power & Lt.	8¾	8¾
Nat. Supply Co.	17⅞	17¼
New York Central	20	20⅛
North Amer. Aviation	14	13⅞
North Amer.	23⅞	23
Northern Pacific	12¾	12¾
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29½	29½
Pacific Lighting	42	42
Packard Motors	5	5⅛
Paramount Pictures Inc.	12¼	12¼
Pennsylvania R.R.	21½	21⅝
Phillips Petroleum	39½	39½
Public Serv. of N.J.	33⅛	32⅞
Pure Oil	11¼	11½
Radio Corp. of Amer.	8¾	8⅞
Republic Steel Co.	19⅜	19⅛
Reynolds Tabacco "B"	44½	45¼
Schenley	19⅞	19½
,, 5½% pfd.	B 71½	B 72
Sears Roebuck	76½	77
Shell Union Oil	15⅜	15⅝
Socony-Vacuum	14	13⅞
Sthrn. Pacific	20⅛	19¾
Shrn. Rly.	26¼	26⅛
Stand. Brands	7⅝	7⅝
Stand. Gas & Elec.	4¼	4¼
Stand. Oil of N.J.	53½	53⅜
Stone & Webster	13	12¾
Swift International	28½	29
Technicolor	22¼	22¼
Texas Corp.	43⅝	43⅜
Texas Gulf Sulphur	34⅜	34¼
Tw. Century Fox	26¾	27
,, ,, pfd.	35¼	35½
Un. Carbide & Carbon	87¾	88¼
Un. Pacific	95	95½
Un. Aircraft (new)	33⅜	34
Un. Air Lines Trans.	11¼	11⅛
Un. Corp.	4	4
,, $3 pfd.	36⅜	36⅜
Un. Gas Corp.	3¾	3¾
Un. Gas Improvement	11¾	11⅝
U. S. Rubber	53⅛	52⅞
,, 8% pfd.	97	98
U. S. Steel	63⅞	63½
Vanadium	23½	23¾
Warner Bros. Picts.	7⅜	7⅜
Westinghouse Elec.	117	118½
Woodward Iron	20	20
BONDS		
Amer. & For. Power	57¾	57½
Brazil	11⅝	11¾
Cities Serv.	65¾	65⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel. Conv.	100⅜	100⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel. 5s	73¼	73⅝
New England Gas & Elec.	60⅛	58¾
Peru 6s 1961	11½	11⅞
Stand. Gas & Elec.	60½	60¾

B—Bid *—Ex Dividend.—Reuter.

Dow-Jones Summary

By Courtesy of Swan, Culbertson & Fritz

Selected issues and groups on the Stock Exchange, which were believed to be "behind the market", met with the best demand today. Two outstanding favourable factors aided the market: automobile production reaching a new high since December 18, 1937, and carloadings recording the best level since November 6, 1937. The upward trend of steel operations in the Youngstown area is scheduled to touch a new high of 61 per cent. of capacity. The high ratio of automobile output stimulated the buying of motors.

U.S. Silver Imports

New York, Oct. 21.

Silver to a total value of $5,834,000 was imported by the United States during the week ended October 14, compared with $1,098,000 during the previous week.

Consignments of the white metal during the period under review were received from the following principal sources: Canada $446,000; Mexico $592,000; The Philippines $2,000; Chile $28,000; England $4,601,000; Peru $46,000; Bolivia $13,000 and Japan $105,000.

Imports during the previous week came from the following principal countries: Canada $158,000; Mexico $550,000; The Philippines $10,000; Chile $3,000; England $190,000; Peru $65,000; Honduras $70,000; Nicaragua $2,000; Salvador $2,000; Cuba $6,000; Argentina $38,000 and Australia $3,000. —Reuter.

U.S. Commodities

Friday's Closing Quotations

New York, Oct. 21.

Trading in the cotton market was early moderately active on foreign houses selling nears and buying distants, resulting in the narrowing of differences. There was also moderate hedging operations in late months, but, after an early hesitation, prices hardened on trade and foreign buying and absence of pressure from the South where spot cotton was very firmly held. Finally, the market closed very steady, with quotations ranging from 5 to 11 points up.

Prices in the rubber market early reflected the steadiness of cables, and later advanced on buying, accredited chiefly to factories, absorbing moderate mixed offerings. At the last call over, gains of 4 to 8 points were recorded.

Wheat prices in Chicago early advanced on increasing indications of constructive Government action to aid agriculture, whilst the belief that the large Australian crop is beyond recovery from the drought, stimulated a broad buying movement. The late recovery of Liverpool and numerous crop comments that the need of moisture is becoming urgent in the south-west were also helpful to the buying side. At the final bell, gains of ⅞ to 1 cent were registered.

The sugar market eased on Cuban, trade and operator selling and hedging, reflecting easier London advices. Selling however, dried up, and the market partially rallied on producer buying and covering. Closing Quotations were from 1 to 1½ points down.

Prices in the silk market today established new highs for the season, owing to the firmness of Japan and the recent good activity in the spot market. Dealers bought while importers sold on balance. Speculative interest was light. Finally, the market eased on weekend profit-taking. At the close. quotations were from ½ to 1½ cents down.

New York Cotton			New York Rubber		
Dec.	8.46-46	+05	Dec.	16.89-89	+04
Jan.	8.39-39	+05	Jan.	16.91 N.	+06
Mar.	8.37-37	+06	Mar.	16.95-97	+03
May	8.19-19	+06	May	16.96-7.00	+07
July	8.05-05	+06		B/A	
Oct.	7.80-80	+11			

New York Sugar No. 4			New York Silk		
Mar.	1.01-01½ B/A	+1½	Oct.	1.80½-81½ B/A	—½
May	1.03½-04 B/A	+1½			

Chicago Wheat			Chicago Corn		
Dec.	66¼-66⅝	+⅞	Dec.	46¾-46⅞	+¾
May	68⅜-68½	+1	May	50⅛-50¼	+⅞

Winnipeg Wheat			Montreal Silver		
Oct.	62⅛-62⅛	+⅝	Oct.	42.20 B.	unc.
Dec.	61¼-61⅜	+⅜			

B—Bid. A—Asked.—Reuter.

Movements of Gold in U.K.

London, Oct. 21.

Movements of gold in the United Kingdom during the week ended October 19 resulted in a surplus of exports over imports by £8,245,000, compared with net exports of £3,204,000 for the previous week.

Impors during the period under review amounted to £2,146,000 and included shipments from the following principal sources: Switzerland £48,000; British Africa £676,000; The Netherlands £503,000; Germany £428,000; British India £319,000; Egypt £62,000; Belgium £51,000 and Venezuela £27,000. The previous week's imports totalled £7,344,000 including £374,000 from Switzerland; £111,000 from British Africa; £610,000 from The Netherlands; £422,000 from Germany and £5,797,000 from France.

Exports during the period under review amounted to £10,391,000 and included shipments to the following countries: The Netherlands £221,000; United States £9,848,000; Switzerland £118,000; Belgium £88,000 and France £79,000. The previous week's exports totalled £10,548,000 including £265,000 to The Netherlands; £9,837,000 to the United States; £54,000 to Switzerland; £208,000 to Belgium; £36,000 to France and £123,000 to the Channel Islands.—Reuter.

Car-Loadings in U.S.

New York, Oct. 21.

Carloadings in the United States for the week ended October 15 totalled 727,000 cars, a new record, according to the weekly review of the Association of American Railroads, which was published today.

This compares with 703,000 cars last week and 810,000 cars for the corresponding period of last year, showing an increase of 24,000 cars and a decrease of 83,000 cars respectively, compared with the figure for the week under review.—Reuter.

Reichsmark Quotations

Berlin, Oct. 21.

The Reichsmark was quoted today at New York 40.04, Paris 1508.—, Amsterdam 72.525 to 72.575, London 11.89.

Paris quoted sterling at 178.70 to 178.76 and the U.S. Dollar at 37.58 to 37.595.—Trans-Ocean.

U.S. Federal Deficit

Washington, Oct. 21.

The U. S. Treasury Department revealed today that the gross Federal deficit had passed the US$1,000,000,000 mark in the period between July 1 and October 19. The exact amount was US$1,012,389,658.—United Press.

British Rubber Stocks

London, Oct. 21.

The average market forecasts of this week's stocks of rubber in London and Liverpool, compared with last week's official figures, show decreases of 200 tons and 500 tons respectively.—Reuter.

Paris Bourse

Paris, Oct. 21.

Looking forward to the publication in the near future of decrees favourable to recovery, the Bourse opened well on most counters today.

Profit-taking was easily covered. And the closure of the market was marked by certain very substantial gains.—Havas.

Synthetic Yarn Manufacture

New York, Oct. 21.

Although officials of the Celanese Corporation decline to amplify details, it is understood, however, that the new plant of the Corporation would be used for the manufacture of synthetic yarn for hosiery.

Traders consequently expect that this product would compete with the new yarn to be manufactured by E.I. Du Pont de Nemours, which Company has also announced the establishment of a new plant.

Silk circles on the Commodity Exchange are not much worried over the situation at present, owing to the fact that the production on a commercial scale of the new Celanese and Du Pont yarns is not expected to be ready for at least one year.—Reuter.

U.K. Silver Movements

London, Oct. 21.

Silver movements in the United Kingdom during the week-ended October 19, resulted in a surplus of exports over imports by £931,000, compared with net exports totalling £206,000 during the previous week. Exports of the white metal from the United Kingdom during the period under review totalled £977,000, including a shipment valued at £961,000 to the United States. Exports during the previous week totalled £246,000, including shipments of £57,000 to the United States; £109,000 to India and £38,000 to Hungary.

Coming from various sources, imports of silver for the same period amounted to £46,000, of which £23,000 was brought from Belgium. Imports for last week summed up to £40,000.—Reuter.

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New York, Oct. 21.

An increase was revealed in the number of cars and trucks produced in the United States and Canada during the week ended October 21, according to Ward's estimate of production.

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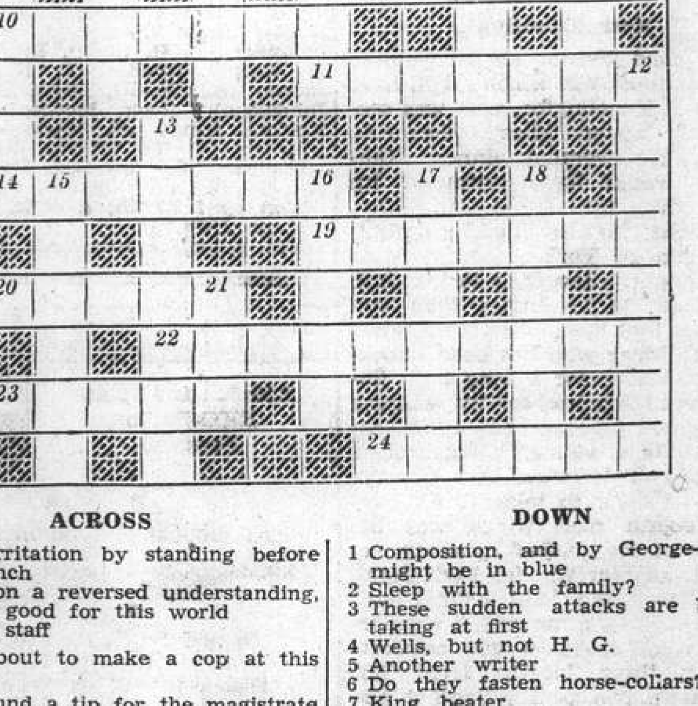

ACROSS

1 Cause irritation by standing before the French
7 Article on a reversed understanding, but too good for this world
8 Foreign staff
9 Is he about to make a cop at this age?
10 Send round a tip for the magistrate
11 Give the Captain a shilling to sink the vessel
14 After a time little Edward pined
19 May be bad but I say I'm good
20 About half a score
22 The only thing to be done with the elder model
23 Epithet for fish sold by weight?
24 Stopped by the sea in December

DOWN

1 Composition, and by George—! It might be in blue
2 Sleep with the family?
3 These sudden attacks are breathtaking at first
4 Wells, but not H. G.
5 Another writer
6 Do they fasten horse-collars?
7 King beater
12 Expel, odd as it may seem after a good report
13 Regular soldier
15 A piece of property that will certainly produce an impression
16 Golfers should put back up to 6s. 1d.!
17 Current production of an English mother and a French father
18 Loudly babbling brooks
21 Had he a yen to return to his fields of victory?

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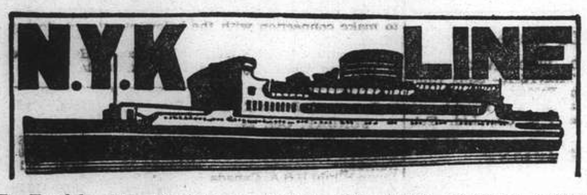

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HAKOZAKI MARU	Oct. 25
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B*	AJAX	Nov. 26	M'lles, London, R'dam, H'burg, and Glasgow
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B	TYNDAREUS	Pacific Coast	Nov. 5	Nov. 8	Hongkong
A	HECTOR	Liverpool	Nov. 11	Nov. 12	Japan Ports
C	PYRRHUS	Liverpool	Nov. 21	Nov. 22	Chinwangtao, Taku Bar & Dairen
B	MENESTHEUS	Liverpool	Nov. 24	Nov. 25	Japan Ports
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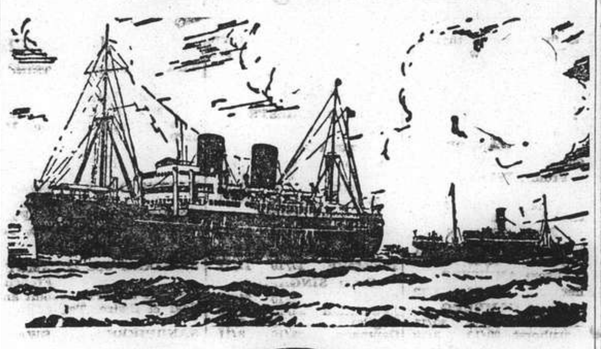

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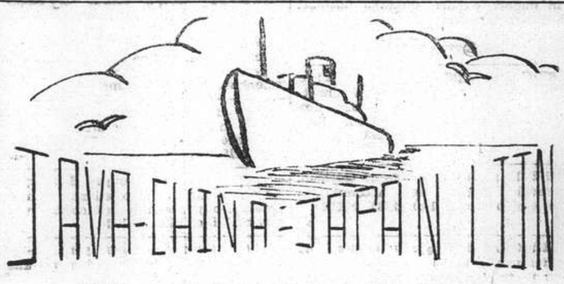

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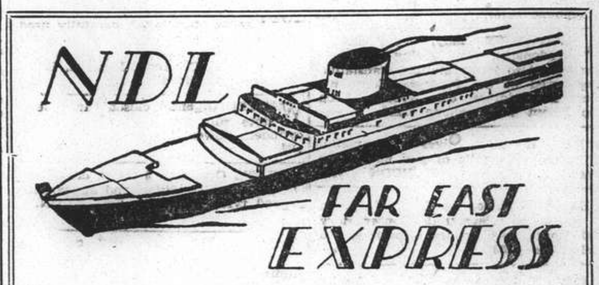

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WANTED financier, must be able to arrange letter of credit only, as working or silent partner for general import business. Advertisers thoroughly experienced and very influential in the trade, will advance all current capital and working expenses. Good and firm prospects. Address Box 2364, NCDN. -4365

COMPRADORE with $25,000 required for expansion of shipping company. Salary and interest in business. Cargo and passengers guaranteed and waiting. Apply Shipping Manager, 5th floor, 20 Museum Road. -4370

Wanted to Purchase

WANTED to purchase, beige or green carpet about 8 x 10 feet, or set of small rugs. Address Box 2404, NCDN. 11965

WANTED to purchase immediately against cash, large wardrobe and one or two beds or bedroom suite, preferably imported. Must be as good as new and of first-class quality. Address offers Box 2405, NCDN. 11966

WANTED Acme code, second-hand, 2 volumes. Address Box 2392, NCDN. -4375

BABY'S hook-on chair, new or second-hand. Address Box 2391, NCDN. -4372

BEDROOM furniture, must be in good condition. Give particulars of pieces and lowest price to Box 2393, NCDN. 11963

WASTE films wanted to buy for melting purpose. Kindly address your offers to Telephone 75437. -4236

BABY scale and bath-tub with stand, in good condition. Address Box 2356, NCDN. 11919

WANTED, carpets, pianos, refrigerators, radios, furniture, and office appliances. Stoves, electric-cookers, typewriters, safes, etc., at good prices. Apply International Company, 510 Peking Road. Telephone 96967. -3878

WE purchase all kinds of high-class furniture. Carpets, piano, typewriter, radio and household effects at a fair price. Apply to the Chesterfield Art Second-hand Goods Store, 1469 Bubbling Well Road. Telephone 36334. -4364

WANTED to buy, stock electric motors 5 to 40 h.p. 5 to 20 ton electric crane or hoist crabs, boiler tubes, steel pipes, plates, etc., or any other second-hand electric and mechanical equipment. Good offer. Address Box 2349, NCDN. -4333

Motor Cars and Cycles

OWNER leaving, selling Buick Six coupe 1931, engine newly overhauled. New paint. New tyres. For $900. Telephone 84105 morning. 11964

$800 or nearest offer. Fiat 514 type in good running order, economical, recently overhauled. Please address Box 2410, NCDN. -4439

$750. Chevrolet coupe. Six cylinders, in excellent running order. Body recently reducoed. Owner leaving. Box 2419, NCDN. -4450

1937 Skoda 4-passenger, 2-door deluxe cabriolet, demonstration model. £190. Fraser Motors, Ltd., 36 Great Western Road, Telephone 21949. 11970

FOR SALE, Austin 10-4 late 1936, only 5,000 miles, like new. U.S.$650, or nearest offer. Please address Box 2396, NCDN. -4414

FIAT Baby 1937 convertible two-seater, in perfect condition, for sale. Owner leaving. Telephone 16388. 11911

$700 or nearest offer, Nash 1930, sedan, 4-door, 6-cylinder, in very good condition. Owner leaving. 234 Route Vallon, office hours. -4398

WANTED, 1934/5 V8 or 6-cylinder sedan. Please give full particulars and lowest cash price to Box 2379, NCDN. -4394

FOR SALE, A.J.S. cycle, 1932, one cylinder. 5 h.p. Newly overhauled. For further particulars please address Box 2380, NCDN. -4395

FOR SALE, Studebaker President late 1937, colour grey, 12,000 miles, perfect condition, radio, clock, two extra wheels, white rim tyres, seat covers. Party leaving Shanghai, will sell cheap. Box 2378, NCDN. -4393

1937 Opel (Olympia) all steel, 2-door sedan, 4-cylinder, carefully used, tyre, engine, etc. all in good condition, owner leaving, moderate price. Please apply Mr. Y. D. Wong, Lane 88, House 22, Mandalay Road. -4406

WANTED urgently closed car. Please state full particulars, make, year, cylinders, lowest price. Box 2366, NCDN. -4369

WILLYS Overland, 5-seater closed car. Excellent condition and appearance, 5 good tyres, $550. Box 2363, NCDN. -4361

WE offer cash for used cars and trucks. Apply Jenny's Motors, 177 Amiral Courbet. Telephone 73165. -4290

IF you wish to buy, sell, exchange motor cars you cannot possibly lose by obtaining a proposition from Bills Motors, authorized Ford and Lincoln dealers. Thousands have been satisfied. Telephone 74400. 11561

FOR SALE, special Buick 1938, 5-seater coupe, U.S.$2,000. Apply Cathay Mansions, Room 1027, between 2-5 p.m. -4328

SINGER saloon, 16 h.p., perfect condition (as new), economical, a real bargain. Address Box 2350, NCDN. 11912

GRAHAM Paige 1931, 6-cylinder sedan, 4 doors, engine completely overhauled, new duco, unexpired guarantee 6 months. Good looking car, throughout in splendid condition. $1,100 cash. Apply Foreign Y.M.C.A., Room 429, from 7.30—8 a.m. daily. 11922

1929 Ford roadster and one 1929 Fiat saloon. Both in running order and newly reducoed. Bargain. $500 and $550 respectively. Telephone 73800. -4380

Animals

ONE wire-haired fox-terrier bitch puppy, left out of litter of four (C.K.C. registered). Both parents imported and C.K.C. winners. Telephone Mrs. Baxter 22067. -4436

A gift. Male and female white Persian cats, well-trained and young. Telephone 21954. -4369

DOBERMAN pincher for sale. Male, one year old, trained. Apply Training School for Dogs, 127/31 Prosper Paris, Telephone 73836. -4412

FOR SALE, thoroughbred Airedale puppies, female, one month old. Telephone, Renacre 12487, 15183. -4353

BUYING a pup. Safeguard yourself and buy only China Kennel Club registered dogs. Insist on this. 11603

COCKER Spaniel pups for sale. 275 Route Tenant de la Tour, Apartment B. -4387

FOR SALE, Pekingese puppies. Ideal pets. 342/4 Rue Cardinal Mercier. -4360

LOST, from 6 Route Camille Lorioz, one white and black wirehaired terrier bitch aged six months, answers to the name of Cracker. Reward offered. Telephone Palmer 71220. -4388

WANTED to buy one or more pedigreed, noseless Pekingese (either sex). Willing to pay high price. Also a pedigreed Pekingese dog for service. Address Box 2184, NCDN. -4050

CHESTNUT horse for sale. Quiet, good manners. Communicate Capt. Litvinoff, Room 6, Telephone 76384 or Box 2343, NCDN. -4331

Lost

NOTICE is hereby given that B/L marked B/L 186, A in diamond, is lost. The loss has been duly reported to Butterfield & Swire and the above-mentioned B/L is therefore declared null and void. Yuen Tah Shanghai office. -4452

LOST. The undersigned hereby announces that the original B/L. calling for one case glassware, marked E.C.T.C. order No. 4, shipped from Hamburg to Shanghai, under B/L. No. 82, per ss. Duisburg, has been lost and is hereby declared void. Eastern China Trading Company. -4288

Radios

FOR SALE, RCA Victor 9-tube long and short-wave radio, 1938 model. Excellent reception of European stations, 11 Bedford Terrace, Telephone 72049. -4408

FOR radio repair call International Radio Service, Telephone 75897. 8 Cardinal Mercier. -3654

VISIT our showroom for 1939 RCA Victor Radios. Radio Corporation of Asia, 361 Foch. Telephone 82304. -4045

FOR efficient and reliable radio service, telephone 37220, Radio City Service, 1249 Bubbling Well Road. American-owned and managed. -3888

RADIOS promptly repaired. Telephone 13750. Ask for Mr. Stewart. Complete service Philco, Zenith, all leading makes. Oldest, best equipped in Shanghai. American Radio Equipment Company. 11698

For Sale—Miscellaneous

PILLOW cases, 50 cents. Venice doylies, 15 cents. Applique tea-cosies, 60 cents. Towels, 29 cents. Lace & Linen Syndicate, 114 Peking Road. 11962

FOR SALE, Electro-Lux refrigerator, excellent condition. 11 Bedford Terrace, Telephone 72049. -4408

NICK'S second-hand furniture store. Buying and selling new and second-hand furniture, household effects, etc. 146A Route des Sœurs, Telephone 73937. -3556

WESTERN Union codes, second-hand, sold or exchanged with Bentley 2nd edition/Acme. Address Box 2058, NCDN. -3802

REFRIGERATORS G.E. Hire/sale, also repaired with guarantee. Russian Electric Co. 334A Roi Albert, Telephone 74816. -4300

PRIVATE automatic telephone exchange for sale, comprising switchboard, rectifier (battery charger) eleven stations, capacity twenty-five stations, in excellent condition, best offer accepted. Address Box 2321, NCDN. 11891

STOCKINGS. McCallum, Berkshire, Kayser; sizes up to 10½, $4.75. Fullfashioned, $2.25. Lislechiffon, $1.80. Razon's, Central Road. -3999

10,000 different postage stamps, sent to you on approval. British Colonies, as your safest investment. 1045 Bubbling Well Road. -4392

NATIONAL cash register, excellent condition. Bargain. Address Box 2362, NCDN. 11931

RED carpet 13½ x 10 ft. coloured design, in good condition. Address Box 2290, NCDN. -4240

BARGAIN. 20 skins black Persian lamb, for cost. Telephone 37337 mornings, mealtime and after office hours. -4319

FOR SALE, Dictaphone, transcribing machine, in excellent condition. Please address Box 2351, NCDN. for further particulars. 11915

SNOW White brand evaporated milk. Best quality, good for children and adults, superior to any other brand. Large size $5.00, small size $2.50 per dozen. Apply Shanghai Loan & Supply Co., Telephone 73800. -4350

FOR SALE, baby's cot, Moses basket and baby's bath $30. Telephone 20900. -4357

SHIRTS made to measure. Genuine silk, $6.50. Duro, Wemco, $7.50. Tootal, $10.50 Razon's, 12 Central Road. -3509

DURO batteries made in U.S.A., quick starting, reliable, powerful, guaranteed one year free service, all sizes available in stock. Competitive prices. Wong's Storage Battery Co., 341 Rue Lafayette, Telephone 85113. -4309

Boats

WANTED to buy, motor-houseboat with accommodation, for three or four persons. All particulars please address Box 2374, NCDN. -4380

Chinese Servants

HIGHLY recommended, experienced cook. Satisfactory in every way. Club/private families. References. Box 2416, NCDN. -4445

34839 Telephone. Reliable cooks, boys, amahs, chauffeurs, etc. Foreign management. Shanghai Employment Agency. -4418

HARDWORKING Cook-boy, excellent cook, honest and willing, 4½ years experience in English/American family, moderate salary, seeks immediate position. Address Box 2418, NCDN. -4449

HIGH-class cook or cook-boy open for engagement immediately. Address Box 2421 NCDN. -4453

RELIABLE cook-boy, hardworking, honest, with good recommendations. Address Box 2402, NCDN. -4425

COOK-boy, twenty years experience in English, French and German cooking, seeks immediate employment. Box 2401, NCDN. -4423

NO. 1 house-boy and No. 1 cook, many years servants in English/American families, seek position. Good recommendations. Please telephone 75319. -4428

73148 CENTRAL Employment Agency (British). 2,000 satisfied international customers. Picked cook-boys, baby-amahs, cook-amahs, house-amahs, wash-amahs, chauffeurs, watchmen, stenographers. -3619

HONEST, excellent coolie-boy, capable cook, speaks English well, willing worker, recommended by American family. Address Box 2308, NCDN. -4262

GOOD cook-boy, excellent cook, recommended by English family. Please address Box 2375, NCDN. -4383

EXPERIENCED cook-boy, good knowledge of English/American cooking, seeks position. Well-recommended. Address Box 2376, NCDN. -4390

COOK-boy, plain cooking, young, willing, moderate salary. Address Box 2369, NCDN. -4374

Rooms Without Board

SMALL room to let, Telephone 81415. -4430

THREE rooms, fully furnished, bathroom and kitchen. De Soeurs district. Rent cheap. Apply Box 2415, NCDN. -4444

CENTRE Bubbling Well. Furnished/unfurnished large room, private bathroom, in apartment. All conveniences. Telephone 37337. -4440

NEAR Bund, south end, nice, furnished room, for single person. $50. Box 2397, NCDN. -4419

NICELY furnished south room with verandah. 606 Avenue Joffre, House No. 7. Rent $50. -4454

TO LET, from November 1, large furnished attic room. 11 Bedford Terrace, Telephone 72049. -4408

FURNISHED steam-heated room, all conveniences, full board, private family, 1522 Bubbling Well, House 14. -4410

TO LET, from November 1, attractive, furnished bed-sitting room with private bathroom attached, in modern apartment, best residential section of French Concession. With or without breakfast. For couple or gentleman only. Telephone 73916 from noon to 2 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m. -4286

COMFORTABLY furnished rooms for men. Club facilities. Navy Y.M.C.A. 11604

FROM November 1. Furnished room with bathroom attached. 36G Brenan Road, Flat 8. -4388

DESIRABLE accommodation available in clean, quiet house, for transient guests, daily terms $2.50—$3.50. Telephone 74982 between 3-7. -3782

FOR RENT. One south facing room with sun porch, private bath, kitchen, steam heating and garden in private residence. Excellent location in French Concession. For highly educated Chinese couple only. Telephone 71940. 11893

FURNISHED or unfurnished room in apartment, central district, all modern conveniences. Telephone 42121, 12.30—1.30 p.m. -4379

ONE furnished room with bathroom attached, steamheated, in apartment, for single person. Telephone 76490 between 9-4 p.m. -4386

SOUTH room with private bathroom, balcony, in private house, for quiet single man. 885 Avenue Joffre, Telephone 72158. -4347

TO LET. For immediate occupation, bed-sitting room in attractive apartment, best section of French Concession, for couple or business lady. Breakfast or board optional. Box 2365, NCDN. -4366

Furnished Apartments

TO LET; two-roomed furnished flat in apartment. Apply Telephone 36201. -4443

FURNISHED flat, modern apartment building. Central. Two rooms, boxroom, batnroom, kitchen, verandah. Furniture fittings and lease to be taken over. Box 2390, NCDN. -4385

TO Chinese or foreigner, a very large living-room, bedroom, dressing-room, bath, kitchen and laundry, apartment fifth floor, southern exposure, ample steam heating and hot water, completely furnished including linen, tableware, kitchenware, 1938 Kelvinator. Rent $150 per month, furnishings and fixtures to be taken over. Approximate cost $2,100. Apartment in central business district. Address Box 2413, NCDN. -4442

AVAILABLE November, two rooms, good furniture, bathroom, kitchen, in apartment house, best locality. Rental $200, including everything. For newly arrived, refined, cultured foreign couple without children, or foreign ladies having only few friends and interested knowing Chinese and living in high-class Chinese family. Telephone 77140. -4422

TOP-Floor English house, Ferguson district, two south rooms, bathroom, boxroom, with various possible alternatives. Address Box 2359, NCDN. 11924

FOUR-roomed steam-heated apartment, Bubbling Well. Frigidaire, radio, furnitures, fittings to be taken over. Telephone 73946 between 2-4. -4340

THREE-roomed, steam-heated apartment, Concession, rent $140. Refrigerator, furniture and fixtures to be taken over. Box 2367, NCDN. -4371

Houses and Land

FOREIGNER wishes to buy large house with big garden situated on Hungjao Road, for cash. Address Box 2403, NCDN. -4426

FOR SALE, French Concession, attractive property located at 127 Rue Massenet. Nine-roomed house, three baths. Land area M.1 F.3 L.7. For further information telephone 17559 or 18283 between 9 and 12 a.m. 11920

Furnished Houses

101 Route Magnini, House 1. 6 large and 1 small rooms, two bathrooms, one lavatory and one washroom, small garden, garage, central heating. Fixtures and some furniture to be sold. -4446

Wanted to Rent

WANTED, one room for a quiet couple, before November 1, between Avenue Dubail and Route Delastre. Preferably with steam-heating and use of kitchen. Telephone 74072 between 9-2 p.m. -4435

ENGLISH lady requires two or three-roomed apartment, furnished or unfurnished, immediately. Reply Box 2408, NCDN. -4436

THREE/five roomed apartment, furnished/unfurnished, or during tenant's Home leave. Responsible party. Box 2411, NCDN. Telephone 36248. -4441

WANTED inexpensive independent room or self-contained apartment. Heating, furniture not essential. Western/central/Concession. Telephone 84782. -4415

WANTED furnished/unfurnished, two-roomed flat, vicinity German School. Address Box 2341, NCDN. 11903

WANTED one/two furnished/unfurnished rooms, bath. Near Jessfield Park. November 1. Address Box 2354, NCDN. -4347

WANTED, one small/big room with board, beginning November. Address Box 2361, NCDN. -4359

RESPONSIBLE foreign family willing to rent apartment or house, furnished or unfurnished, during tenant's Home leave. Address Box 2320, NCDN. 11892

WANTED, immediate occupation, four/five-roomed modern apartment or house, vicinity Yu/Yuen/Tifeng/Great Western Roads. Box 2342, NCDN. -4314

Vessels Arriving

The first date is that of the ship's departure from the Port under which she appears; the second is the date she is due to arrive in Shanghai.

EUROPE AND STRAITS

From GOTHENBURG		
Triton	21/10	11/12
From GLASGOW		
Aeneas	22/10	10/12
From LIVERPOOL		
Pyrrhus	8/10	21/11
Menestheus	15/10	24/11
Achilles	22/10	2/12
From LONDON		
Terukuni M.	14/10	18/11
Bangalore	15/10	29/11
From ANTWERP		
Aller	19/10	3/12
From HAMBURG		
Afrika	14/10	30/11
Scharnhorst	29/10	3/12
Antilochus	22/10	9/12
Serooskerk	22/10	10/12
From ROTTERDAM		
Nordmark	14/10	19/11
From MARSEILLES		
F. Roussel	30/9	28/10
Pres. Doumer	14/10	11/11
From TRIESTE		
Arabia	20/9	7/11
From PORT SAID		
Gneisenau	15/10	5/11
Hector	13/10	9/11
Meerkerk	12/10	12/11
Canton	20/10	14/11
From SUEZ		
Kulmerland	17/10	18/11
From PORT SUDAN		
Temeraire	17/10	11/11
From SINGAPORE		
Somali	22/10	31/10
Rawalpindi	22/10	31/10
Vogtland	18/10	2/11
Danmark	22/10	8/11
From MACASSAR		
Tjinegara	23/10	6/11
From BATAVIA		
Tjisalak	21/10	5/11
From HONGKONG		
See "China Ports" below.		

AMERICA AND JAPAN

From NEW YORK		
Anna Maersk	10/9	26/10
Cing. Prince	—	26/10
Irisbank	7/9	27/10
Silverteak	—	28/11
Phemius	28/10	20/12
From VANCOUVER		
Tyndareus	7/10	1/11
From SEATTLE		
Ixion	29/10	30/11
From SHIMIDZU		
Burdwan	22/10	30/10
From YOKOHAMA		
Memnon	21/10	28/10
Tyndareus	26/10	5/11
From KOBE		
Ranchi	21/10	24/10
Anyo M.	—	28/10
Hakone M.	—	31/10
From NAGASAKI		
Shanghai M.	24/10	25/10
Nagasaki M.	26/10	27/10
Shanghai M.	29/10	30/10

AUSTRALIA

From MELBOURNE		
Nankin	2/11	8/12
From RABAUL		
Tanda	23/10	7/11

CHINA PORTS

From DAIREN		
Dairen M.	21/10	24/10
Tsingtao M.	24/10	27/10
Hoten M.	27/10	30/10
Gaasterkerk	21/10	6/11
Toulouse	1/11	15/11
From TIENTSIN		
Chengtu	21/10	24/10
Hunan	24/10	27/10
Kronviken	24/10	28/10
From CHITUNG		
Liwo	23/10	23/10
From HSINKONG		
Wusueh	23/10	23/10
Tungwo	24/10	24/10
From SANCHAKONG		
Suiwo	23/10	23/10
From WENCHOW		
Liangchow	23/10	24/10
From AMOY		
H. Peking	21/10	26/10
From SWATOW		
Tsinan	20/10	23/10
From HONGKONG		
Norviken	18/10	23/10
Agapenor	19/10	23/10
Soochow	19/10	23/10
Tegelberg	21/10	24/10
Nanning	21/10	25/10
Taksang	21/10	25/10
Suiyang	23/10	27/10
Kiungchow	23/10	27/10
Ajax	23/10	27/10
Kwaisang	24/10	28/10
Tingsang	25/10	29/10
Yochow	25/10	29/10

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

ARIADNE MOLLER Oct. 23. TIENTSIN DIRECT.—Sails from Mackenzie's Wharf, Pootung, Sunday, October 23, at 12 noon. For passage apply Tai Lai Navigation Co., 131 Museum Road, Fourth Floor, Room 431, Tel. 13699. 23-10

KAIPING Oct. 24. CHINWANGTAO DIRECT.—The Kailan Mining Administration will despatch the steamer Kaiping, Captain J. B. Struth, on Monday, October 24, 1938. For freight or passage, apply to the Agent, 30 Foochow Road. Tel. 11070. 24-10

TAISANG Oct. 24. TSINGTAO, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Monday, October 24, at 8 a.m. "A" and "B" Class Saloon Accommodation. Tender for passengers from Customs Jetty 9 p.m. Sunday and 7.30 a.m. Monday. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 24-10

NORVIKEN Oct. 25. CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Buoys on Tuesday, October 25, at 3.30 p.m. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 25-10

SHENGKING Oct. 25. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Tuesday, October 25, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 25-10

CHENGTU Oct. 27. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN. — From French Bund on Thursday, October 27, at noon. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 27-10

Vessels Leaving

NORTH CHINA COAST

TAKSANG Oct. 28. TSINGTAO, WEIHAIWEI, CHEFOO and TIENTSIN.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Friday, October 28. "A" and "B" Class Accommodation. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 28-10

SOUTH CHINA COAST

KAYING Oct. 23. SWATOW and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Sunday, October 23, at 10 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 23-10

SINKIANG Oct. 24. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Monday, October 24, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 24-10

SANDVIKEN Oct. 25. SWATOW, HONGKONG, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Tuesday, October 25, at daylight. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 24-10

SOOCHOW Oct. 25. SWATOW, HONGKONG, KWONGCHOW WAN and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Tuesday, October 25, at 11 a.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 25-10

TSINAN Oct. 26. AMOY and HONGKONG.—From French Bund on Wednesday, October 26, at noon. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 26-10

KIUNGCHOW Oct. 29. SWATOW, HONGKONG, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—From French Bund on Saturday, October 29, at 1 p.m. For freight and passage apply to Butterfield & Swire, Tel. 82020 (French Bund). 29-10

YATSHING Oct. 31. SWATOW, HONGKONG, PAKHOI and HAIPHONG.—Sails from Roosevelt Terminal Wharf on Monday, October 31. For freight and passage apply Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. Tel. 15290. 31-10

STRAITS AND EUROPE

ATHOS II Oct. 25. MARSEILLES via HONGKONG SAIGON, SINGAPORE, COLOMBO, DJIBOUTI, SUEZ and PORT SAID.—Messageries Maritimes, 9 Avenue Edward VII. Tel. 82034. 25-10

RANCHI Oct. 25. MARSEILLES and LONDON via HONGKONG, SINGAPORE, PENANG, COLOMBO, ADEN, PORT SAID and MALTA. —Last tender will leave the Customs Jetty at 1.30 p.m. on Tuesday, October 25, 1938. Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co. N. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 25-10

SHANTUNG Oct. 26. MASSAWAH, ALGIERS, ORAN, CASABLANCA, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM, OSLO, COPENHAGEN and GOTHENBURG. —The Swedish East Asiatic Co., Ltd.'s ms. Shantung will leave Shanghai on or about October 26, for the above mentioned ports. Through bills of lading to all Scandinavian and Baltic ports. Cargo for U.K. ports accepted on optional Bs/L. For freight and passage please apply to The Ekman Foreign Agencies, Ltd., Hamilton House, Foochow Road Entrance. Tel. 11330. 26-10

OLDENBURG Oct. 27. GENOA, CASABLANCA, ROTTERDAM and HAMBURG via PORTS.—(Captain W. Arfsten), on or about October 27, 1938. For freight and passage please apply to Hamburg-Amerika Linie, Filiale Shanghai, 20 Canton Road. Tel. 18709. 27-10

MEMNON Oct. 29. MARSEILLES, CASABLANCA, LONDON, ROTTERDAM, HAMBURG and GLASGOW.—For freight and passage apply agents, Butterfield & Swire, 21 French Bund. Tel. 82020. 29-10

BURDWAN Nov. 1. BOMBAY, CASABLANCA, MARSEILLES, HAVRE, LONDON, HULL, HAMBURG, ROTTERDAM and ANTWERP via HONGKONG, STRAITS and CEYLON.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, P. & O. S. N. Co., 27 The Bund. Tel. 11428. 1-11

AUSTRALASIA

NELLORE Nov. 4. (From Hongkong) SYDNEY and MELBOURNE via PORTS.—Mackinnon, Mackenzie & Co., Agents, E. & A. S. C. Co., Ltd., No. 27 The Bund. Tel. No. 11428. 4-11

SOUTH AND EAST AFRICA

TEGELBERG Oct. 26. RODRIGUEZ, MAURITIUS, REUNION, TAMATAVE, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, CAPETOWN, MOSSEL BAY, PORT ELIZABETH EAST LONDON ZANZIBAR and MOMBASA via HONGKONG, MANILA, SAIGON, BANGKOK, (Koh-Si-Chang) SINGAPORE and BATAVIA.—The K.P.M. Line ms. Tegelberg sails from Holt's Wharf, Pootung on Wednesday, October 26. Cargo accepted for all ports in South, East and West Africa, also East Coast of South America. For passage and freight apply to the Java-China-Japan Lijn Agentschap Shanghai N.V., Agents, K.P.M. Line Brunner Mond Building, 133 Szechuen Road. Tel. Nos. 16247 (4 Lines). 26-10

Post Office Notices

Earlier posting at Sub-Offices is requested in order to make connection with the below-mentioned closing times.

(Last connecting time from Sub-Offices to Head Office is 19.35 on week days and 19.05 on Sunday).

Date and Destination	*Per*		*Reg.*	*Ord.*
SUNDAY, Oct. 23.				
Haimen Che.	Elbhof		*20.00	9.30
Foochow	Shinhwa		10.00	10.00
Nantung	Nantung M.		10.00	15.15
Japan H'lulu U.S.A. Canada Europe via Pacific	P. Coolidge		16.00	16.00
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Liwo		16.00	16.00
Tsingtao Chefoo Tientsin	Taisang		18.30	19.00
MONDAY, Oct. 24.				
Amoy and Hongkong	Sinkiang		8.00	8.30
Wenchow	C. Paolini		12.30	13.00
Indo-China (Z) via H'phong	Soochow	A	—	—
Kiangpei Offices east of Haian	Tejo		16.30	17.00
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Sandviken		19.30	20.00
Haimen Che.	Don Pedro		19.30	20.00
Ningpo	H. Tseangtah		19.30	20.00
TUESDAY, Oct. 25.				
H'kong Canton Aust. N.Z. S.S.(Y) India Suez Europe	Athos II	B	*20.00	7.15
Haimen Che.	Santarem		*20.00	7.15
U.S.S.R. Europe via Siberia	Shengking		*20.00	7.30
Tsingtao Wei. C'foo T'tsin	Shengking		*20.00	7.30
Swatow Hongkong Yunnan	Soochow		8.00	8.30
Foochow	Livatho	X	8.30	9.00
Aust. N.Z. S.S. India Suez Europe via Suez	Ranchi	C	10.00	12.00
Hongkong and Canton	Ranchi		11.30	12.00
Chefoo and Tientsin	Norviken		12.00	12.30

* The night before.
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ss. President Coolidge, via Pacific October 23, due London November 22.
ss. Athos II, via Suez, October 25, due London November 24.
ss. Ranchi, via Suez, October 25, due London November 26.

Air Mails

Imperial Airways Service (Hongkong-Bangkok-London and Hongkong-Bangkok-Singapore-Australia) per ss. Athos II, at 7.15 a.m. on October 25, and due Bracciano, Italy on November 2, and London on November 3.

Pan American Airways Service (Hongkong-San Francisco per ss. Memnon, at 9.30 a.m. on Oct. 29, and due San Francisco on November 9.

Neth. (K.L.M.) Air Mail Service (Bandoeng-Amsterdam) per ss. Ranchi, at 12.00 on October 25, and due Amsterdam on November 8, and London on November 9.

Air France (Saigon-Marseilles) per ss. Athos II, at 7.15 a.m. on October 25, and due Paris and London on November 11.

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Weather, Time and Tide

Sunday, October 23, 1938 (1st day of 9th moon)	SICCAWEI October 21 16.00	SICCAWEI October 21 21.00	SICCAWEI October 22 4.00	SICCAWEI October 22 9.00	GUTZLAFF 9.00	GUTZLAFF 14.00
Barometer inches	30.18	30.23	30.20	30.25	—	—
at 32 F. (variation for 24 hrs.)	+0.05	+0.05	+0.05	+0.05	—	—
at 32 F. (" " 12 hrs.)	+0.03	+0.03	+0.02	+0.02	—	—
Wind (direction)	N	N	NNW	NNW	—	—
" (miles per hour)	14.9	5.6	6.2	6.8	—	—
Temperature (Fahr.)	68.°5	58.°5	53.°8	63.°3	—	—
Humidity %	44	74	92	72	—	—
Nebulosity (0 to 10)	2	0	1	1	—	—
Rainfall inches	—	—	—	—	—	—

Siccawei Abridged Report October 21	Mean 1938	24 hours variation	Previous average same period (65 years)
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)	30.19	+0.02	30.16
Temp. Min. 52.°9 Max. 74.°3	63.°6	—1.°4	61.°7
Total rainfall January 1 to midnight before last (inches)	45.32	—	40.13

Date	23/10	24/10	25/10	26/10	27/10	28/10	29/10	30/10	31/10
Sun rises at Shanghai	6.02	6.03	6.04	6.04	6.05	6.06	6.07	6.08	6.08
Sun sets at Shanghai	5.15	5.14	5.12	5.11	5.10	5.09	5.08	5.07	5.06
Moon rises at Shanghai	6.02	7.02	8.00	8.55	9.40	10.33	11.17	11.56	12.33
Moon sets at Shanghai	17.18	17.59	18.45	19.33	20.22	21.13	22.05	22.59	23.52
Flood makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	9.44	10.17	10.55	11.40	12.05	12.46	13.35	14.30	15.32
Ebb. makes Shai. 6 to 18.00	15.21	15.55	16.26	16.52	17.25	18.04	5.52	6.38	7.45
H.W. W'sung Bar 6 to 18.00	11.39	12.12	12.37	13.12	13.47	14.26	14.58	16.11	17.21
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Name	*From*	*Consignees*
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Sygna	Hongkong	K.M.A.
L. Picquet	Cruise	—
Elbhof	Haimen (Ch.)	Carlowitz
Don Luis	Wenchow	C.A.S.S.
Ramses	Hongkong	H.A.L.
Osumi M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Omala	San Pedro	A.P.C.
Sandviken	Tientsin	Jardine
Nagasaki M.	Japan	N.Y.K.
Isshin M.	Port Arthur	D.K.K.
Tungwo	Hsinkong	Jardine
Santa Rosa	Yangling	Dah Loong
Nantung M.	Nantung	N.Y.K.
Whangpu	C'kiakong	B.&S.
Chingning M.	Tsungming	N.K.K.
Ave-Maria	Tungchow	Tung Lee
Tejo	T'lungkong	I.C.R.N.
Kiangting	Tungchow	G.F.H.

Yesterday's Departures

Name	*Flag*	*Despatcher*
Norse Trader	Pan.	Wallem
Talthybius	Br.	B.&S.
Kiangting	Ger.	G.F.H.
Santa Rosa	Port.	Dah Loong
Suiwo	Br.	Jardine
Faro	Port.	P.N.&T.
Marie Moller	Br.	Mollers'
Hansi	Ger.	G.F.E.
Elsie Moller	Br.	Yat Shing
Patti	Ital.	Chang Yuen
Liwo	Br.	Jardine
Don Joao	Port.	Tung Lee
Wusueh	Br.	B.&S.
Chingning M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Shukwang	Br.	A.P.C.
Hakushin M.	Jap.	D.K.K.
Tachi M.	Jap.	N.K.K.
Glenogle	Br.	Jardine
Shuntien	Br.	B.&S.
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In Harbour or Dock

Name	*Flag*	*Berthed*
Alice Moller	Br.	M.B.K.L.W.
Baron Minto	Br.	M.B.K.L.W.
Celtic Monarch	Br.	Buoys 32-33
Dachi M.	Jap.	Buoys 25-26
Daishin M.	Jap.	K.P.W.
Daviken	Nor.	H.W.
Fausang	Br.	K.L.Y.W.
Fuhwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Fukwang	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
G. Padula	Ital.	M.B.K.U.W.
Havdrot	Nor.	Gardens
Heian M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.W.
Heini	Ger.	Pontoon 5
Helen Moller	Br.	Buoys 11-12
Helga Moller	Br.	M.B.K.L.W.
H. Yangtsze	Br.	P.B.B.
Hoten M.	Jap.	W.W.
Jedmoor	Br.	Buoys 33-34
Kaying	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Kaikou	Br.	A.P.C.U.W.
Norah Moller	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Kintang	Br.	C.D.W.
Kungwo	Br.	Buoys 29-30
Leesang	Br.	Y.P.D.
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Ninghai	Br.	C.N.W.P.
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Shantung	Br.	C.N.C.W.
Sinkiang	Br.	C.N.W.P.
Siushan	Br.	C.D.W.
Store Nordiske	Dan.	Buoys 18-19
Suiting	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Taisang	Br.	H.W.
Tatung	Br.	Y.P.D.W.
Tienkwang	Br.	A.P.C.L.W.
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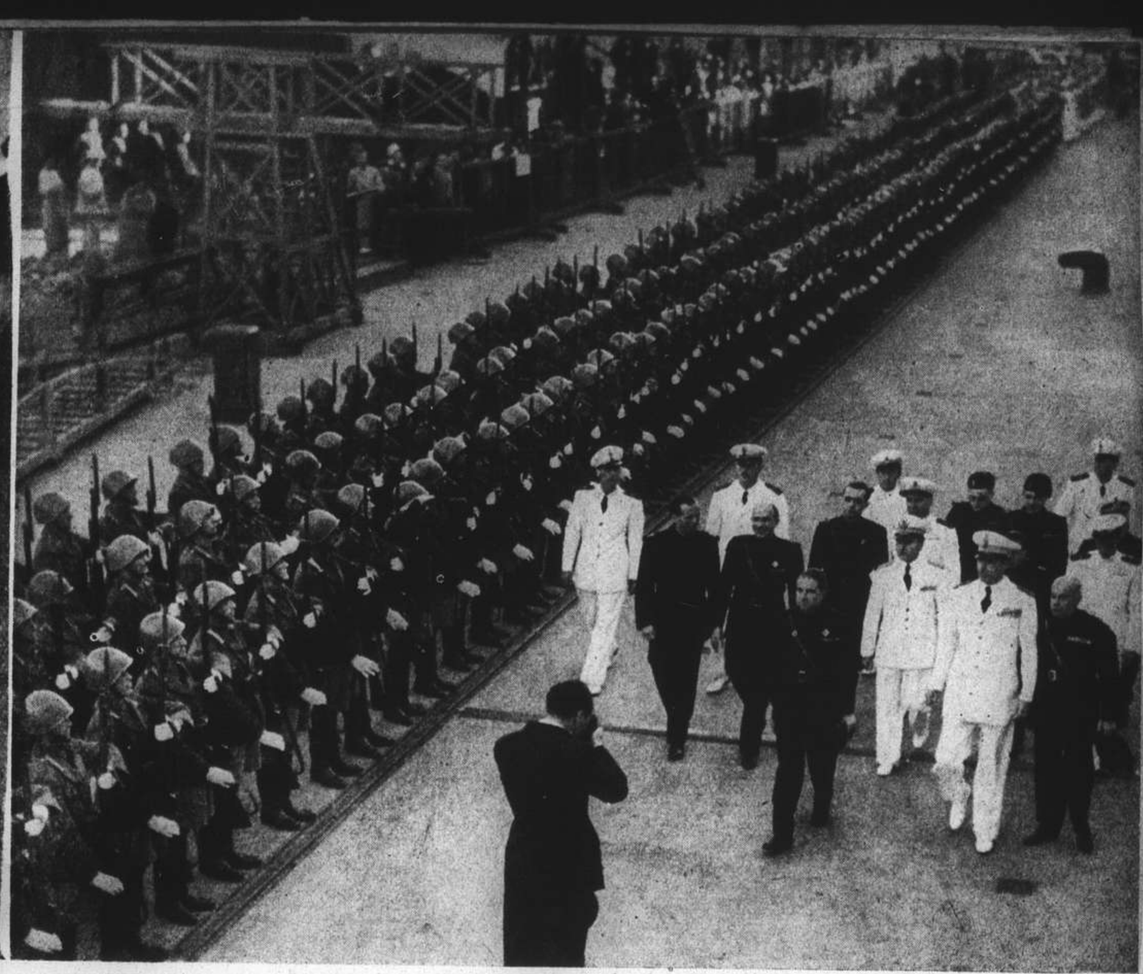

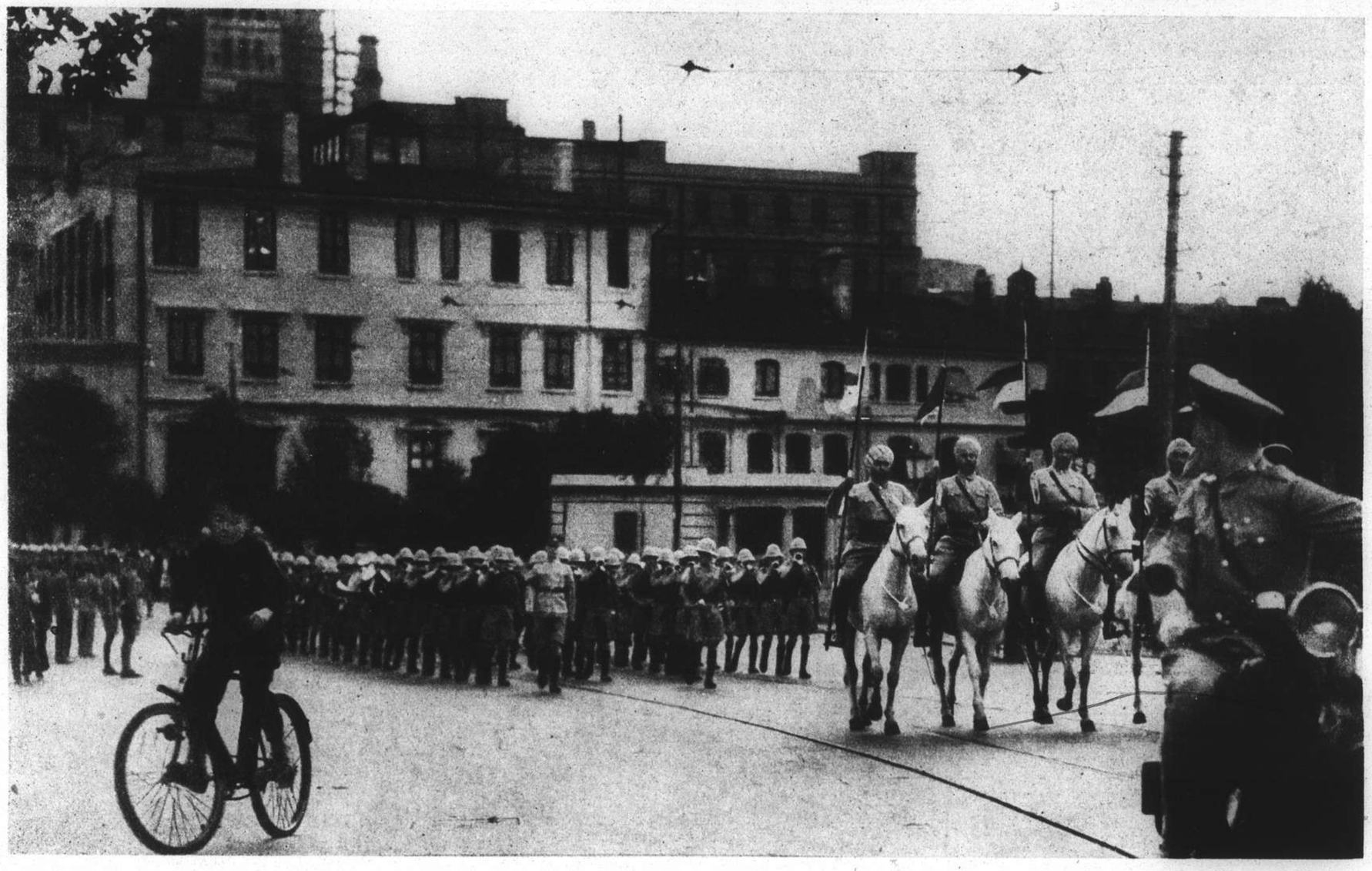

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HAIL AND FAREWELL

Top left: Col. J. C. Fegan, who succeeds Col. Charles F. B. Price as Commander of the Fourth Regiment, U.S. Marine Corps in Shanghai, inspects the guard of honour provided by the Russian Regiment on the occasion of his formal visit to Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chairman of the Council.

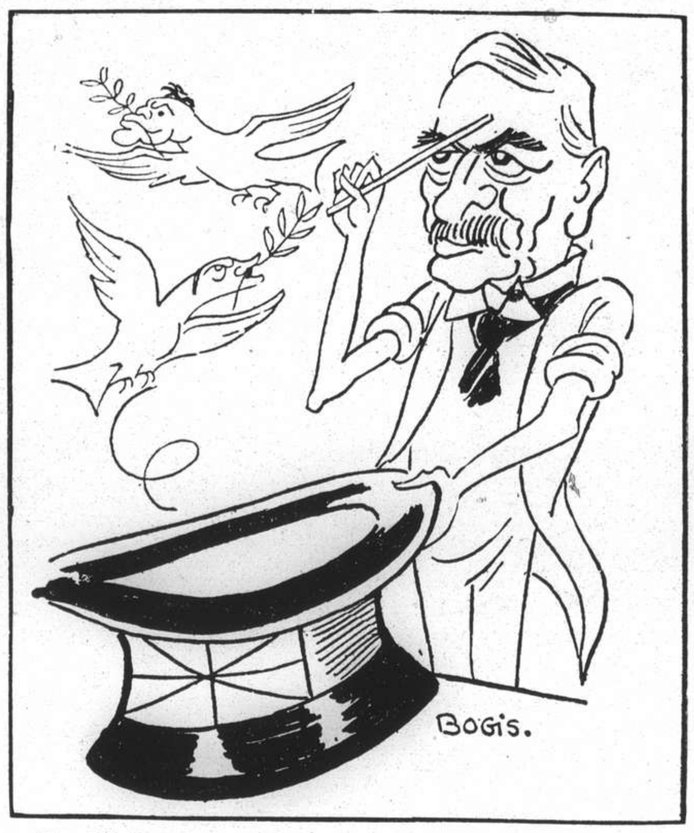
Top right: The Savoy Grenadiers formed a guard of honour at the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf, on Tuesday last, when His Excellency the Marquis Francesco Maria Taliani de Marchio, new Italian Ambassador to China, arrived in Shanghai.

Centre: After eleven months in Shanghai, the Durhams marched from their billets on Sunday last, and sailed in the transport Lancashire for Tientsin on Monday. In the photograph they are seen approaching Garden Bridge, headed by the pipes and drums of the Seaforth Highlanders and four Sikh troopers of the S.M.P.

The World's Wit and Humour

"New York Times" New York

THE TRIAL AND THE TIGER



"Le Rire" Paris

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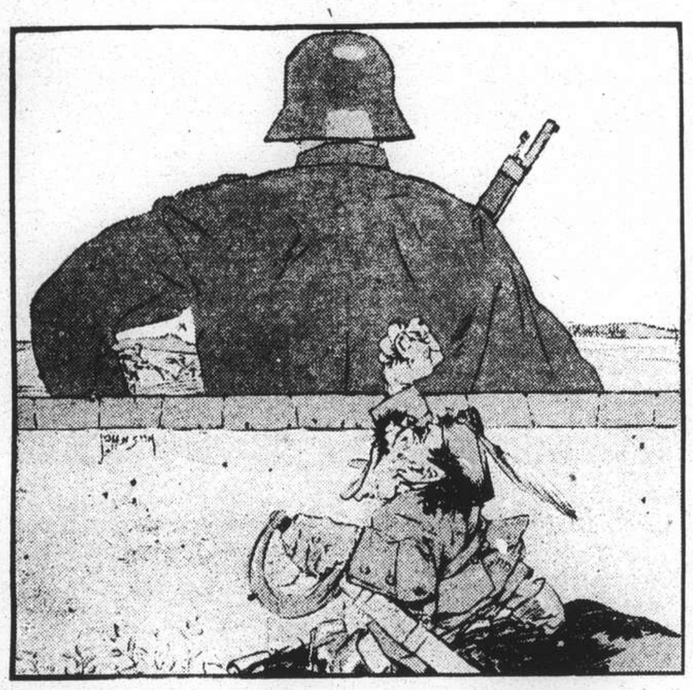

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"Christian Science Monitor" Boston

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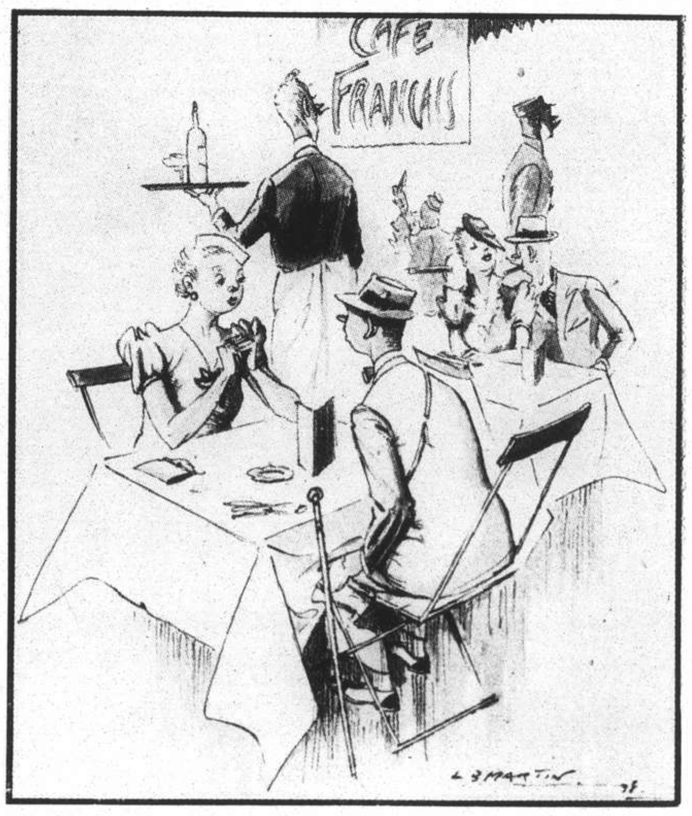

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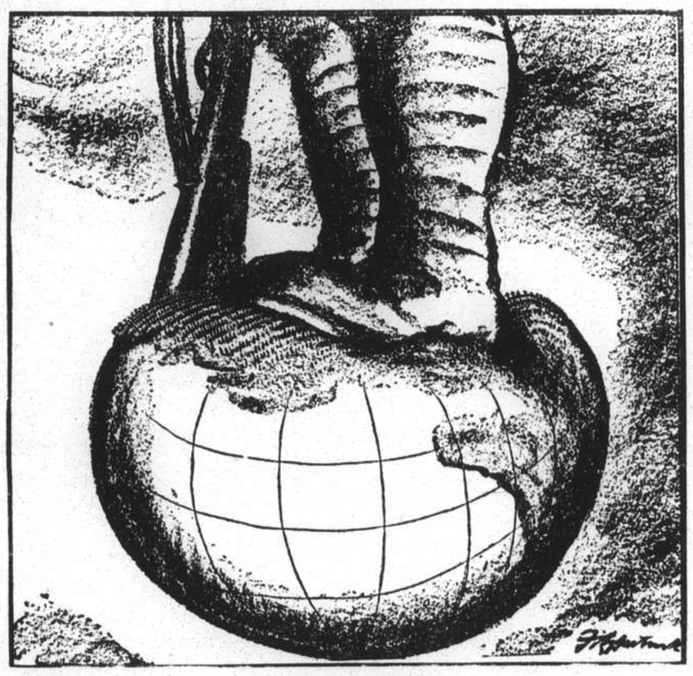
"What's the French for *hors d'oeuvre*, lass?"



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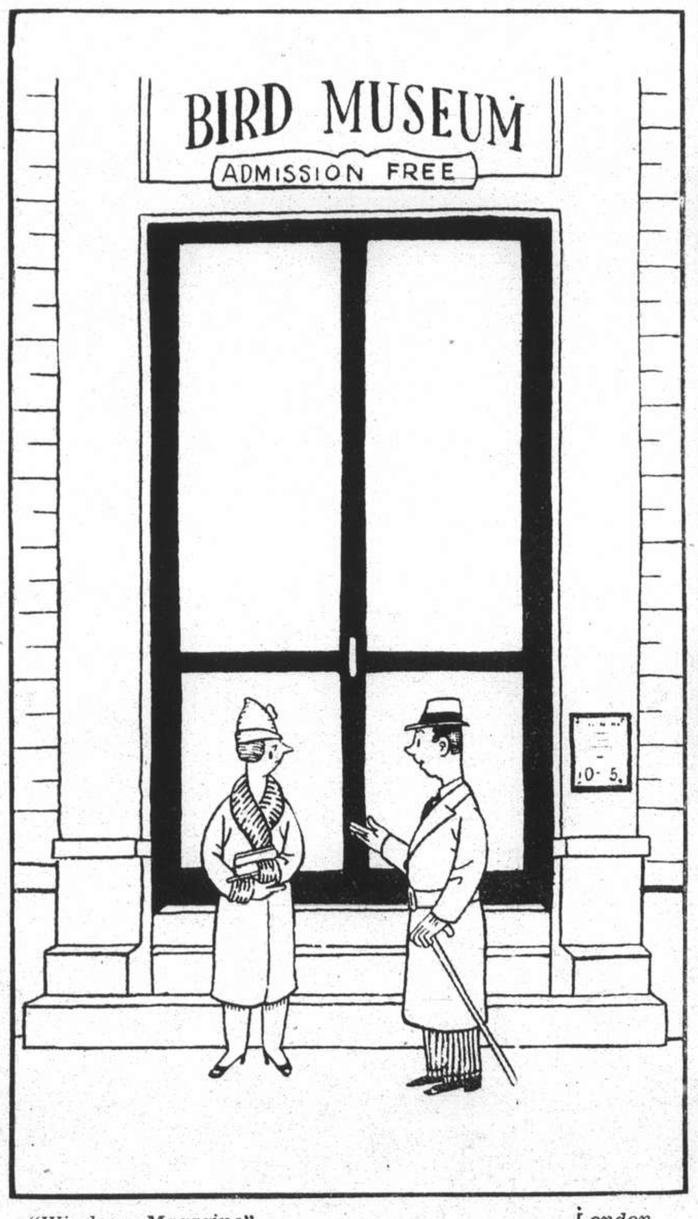
BARRING THE DOOR TO HOTHEADS



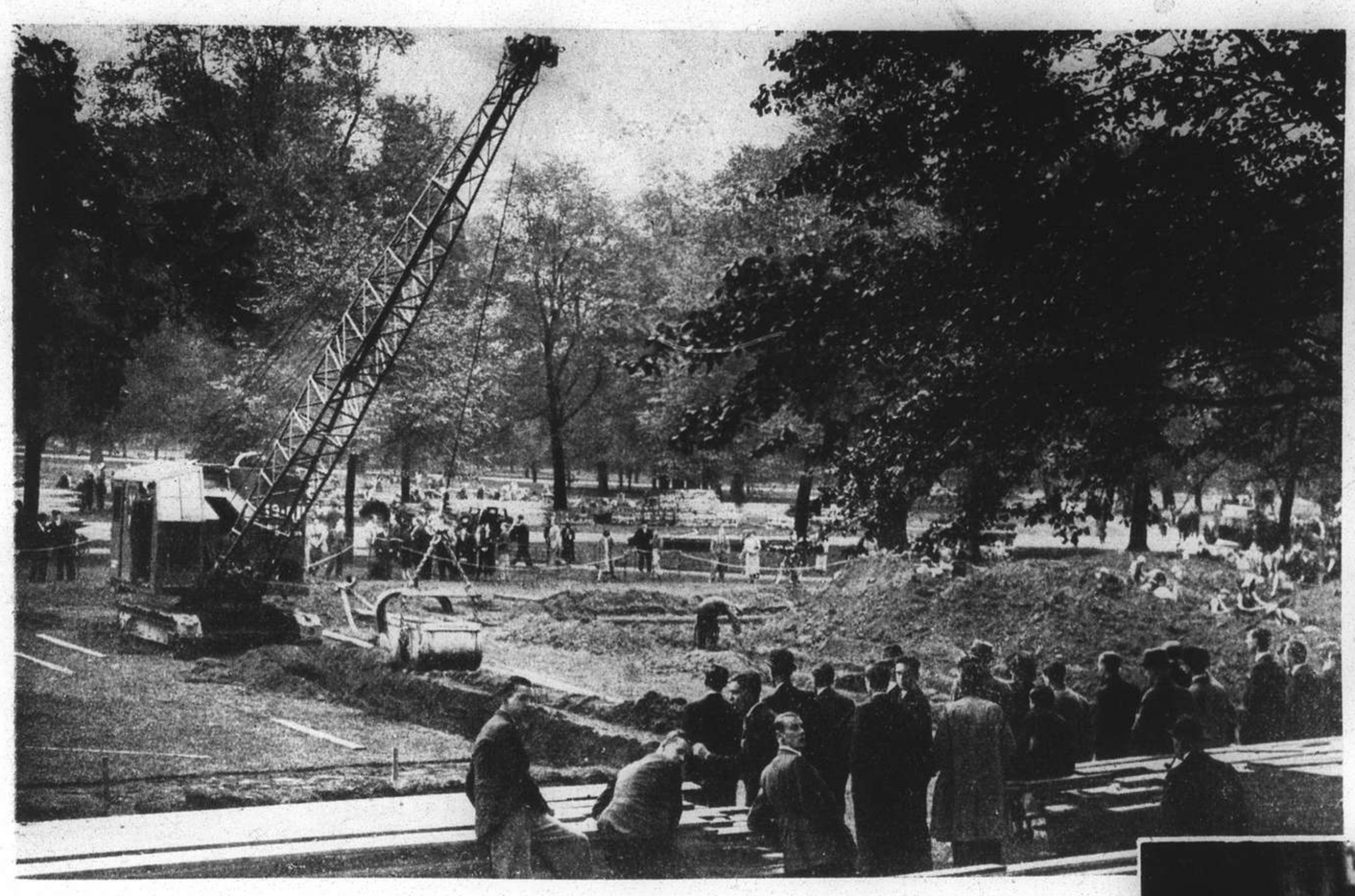
"Windsor Magazine" London

"Yes, Douglas, it may be very interesting, but birds have ceased to appeal to me since the canary flew away."

"Evening Standard" London

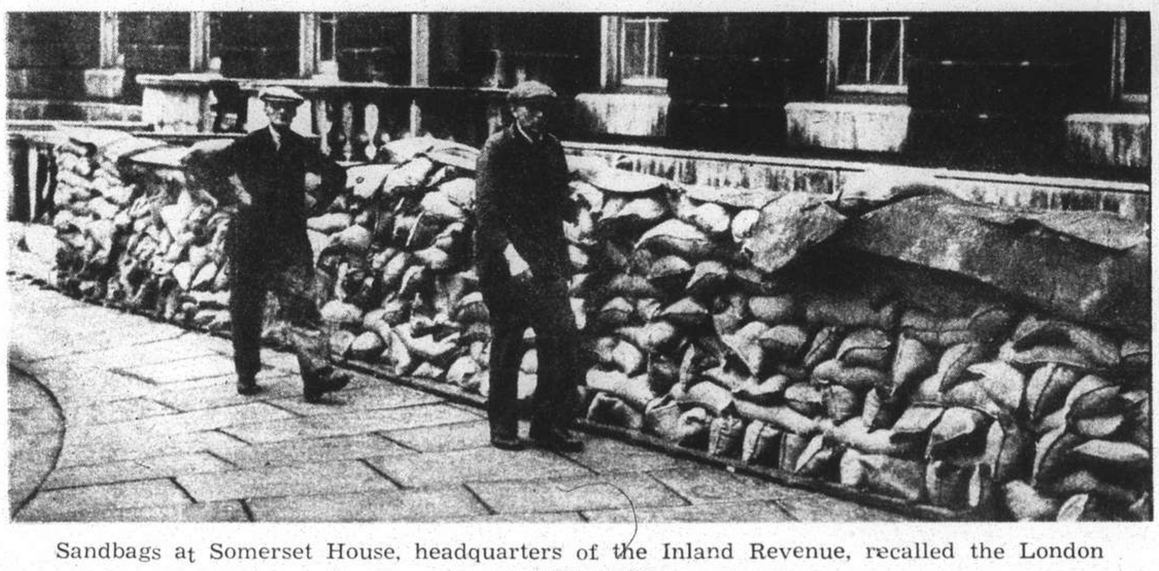
"Could I change this tin of sardines for a telegram?"

Those Anxious Days



Scenes like this conveyed to the Londoner the seriousness of the political situation towards the end of September. A mechanical "navvy" is brought into use to speed up the work of digging A.R.P. trenches in Kensington Gardens.

Precautions against air raids were in full swing on September 27. The photograph shows workmen digging trenches in Kensington Garden.



Sandbags at Somerset House, headquarters of the Inland Revenue, recalled the London of 1914-1918.

As tension grew in Europe there was a rush of recruits at the Central Recruiting Depot, Whitehall.

(*Left*) Scenes like this were the rule along the Sudeten border as the German-Czech crisis became acute. Sudeten Germans loaded up their chattels on every type of vehicle they could find and crossed the border into Germany. (*Above*) After their long journey from Czechoslovakia, these Sudeten German refugees rest themselves in a shelter provided for their use.

Here is a view of the celebrated interview at Berchtesgaden between Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Reichsfuehrer Adolf Hitler. To the left of the group is Joachim von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, while two interpreters sit with backs to the camera.

An aged Frenchwoman in Paris signs for her consignment of sand distributed by the French Government for use in the event of air raids.

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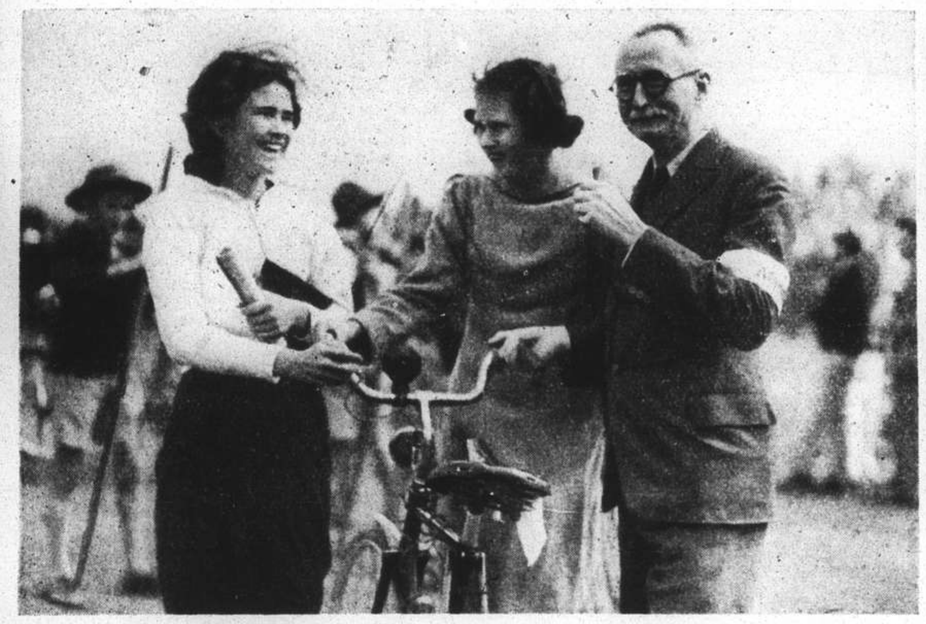
All set for the start of the men's three-mile race at the Shanghai Wheelers meeting last Sunday.



(*Left*) Miss Dorothy Yuen and Miss Dorothy Quelch, two of the competitors, and Mr. C. W. Quelch. (*Right*) Miss Anita Chang, who won the Dunlop Cup in the women's two-mile race at the Shanghai Wheelers meeting.—*Bann's.*

At Kiaochow Park

The Shanghai Wheelers held a meeting at Kiaochow Park last Sunday, which was the first event of its kind to take place in the Far East. That it was popular was proved by the large attendance of spectators and the keenness displayed by competitors. The Shanghai Wheelers Club is under the patronage of Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, C.M.G., D.S.O. (*Above*) Officials at the meeting: Messrs. J. D. E. Shotter, chief judge, W. J. Kerr, and H. C. Faulder, announcer.

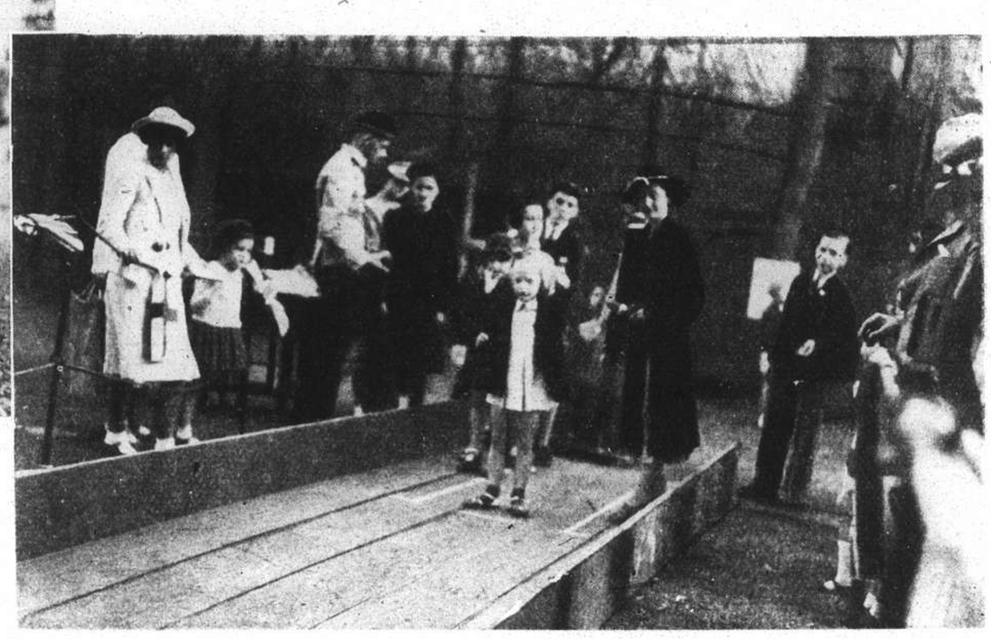
Mrs. Eldridge, Miss K. M. Lee and Valerie Eldridge at the bowling alley, which was one of the attractions at the Fun Fair.

Miss E. R. Reed was in charge of the sale of tickets at the Fun Fair.

Bazaar and Fun Fair

A successful bazaar and fun fair was held at the Cathedral Girls School, on October 15, in aid of the Lester Chinese Hospital. A large number of people attended and the stalls and side shows were well patronized, these including such old favourities as cocoanut shies, alley bowls and lucky dips.

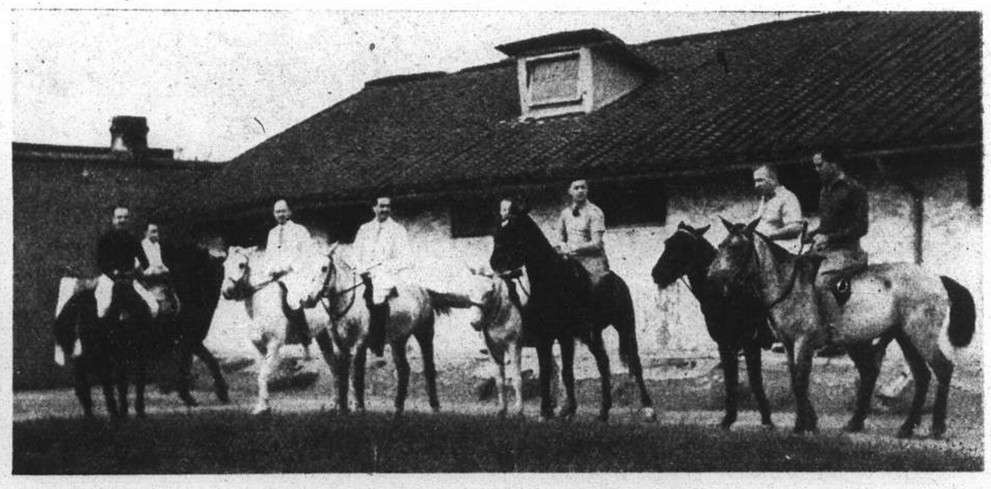
Sheila Brister and Wendy Gates decide to enjoy their cocoanuts on the spot.



Pat Brook tries her luck at bowls.

Mme. J. Brediam is an accomplished horsewoman.

Messrs. G. Cattand (*left*) and A. E. Arnold are co-Hon. Secretaries of the Club Hippique International.



Club Hippique International

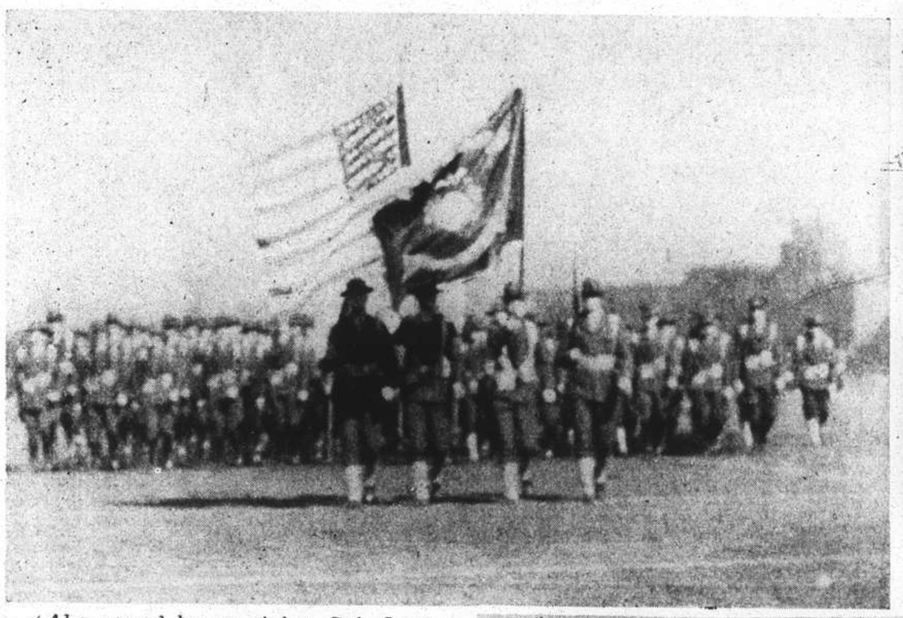
The Club Hippique International has been formed for the purpose of developing higher equestrianism in Shanghai. It is under the patronage of His Excellency M. Naggiar, French Ambassador to China, and the auspices of the French Consul-General, M. P. Auge. The club will hold its first show at the Canidrome on Sunday, November 13. (*Above, l. to r.*) Messrs. P. Jordan, E. Salembier, G. Cattand, G. Widmer, Mme. J. Brediam, Messrs. E. Mandelert, P. Auge, and J. Forme-Becherat, members of the newly-formed club.

An Eventful Week in Shanghai

Members of the local Fascisti Youth were at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf to welcome the new Ambassador.—*N.C.D.N.*

New Italian Ambassador Arrives

On Tuesday last, Marquis Taliani de Marchio, new Italian Ambassador to China, arrived in Shanghai in the ss. Biancamano and received a great welcome from the Italian community. (*L. to r.*) Col. E. Andreini, H. E. Marquis Taliani de Marchio, Comdr. L. Neyrone, Cav. Uff, R. Rapex, Lt.-Col. Peroni and L. Riggio.—*N.C.D.N.*



(*Above and lower right*) Col. J. C. Fegan, new Commander-in-Chief, inspected the U.S. Marines on the Race Course on Thursday morning.—*N.C.D.N.*

The Marquis and Marquise de Marchio on their arrival last Tuesday.—*N.C.D.N.*

Col. E. Andreini, commander of the Savoy Grenadiers, welcomes the new Italian Ambassador.—*N.C.D.N.*

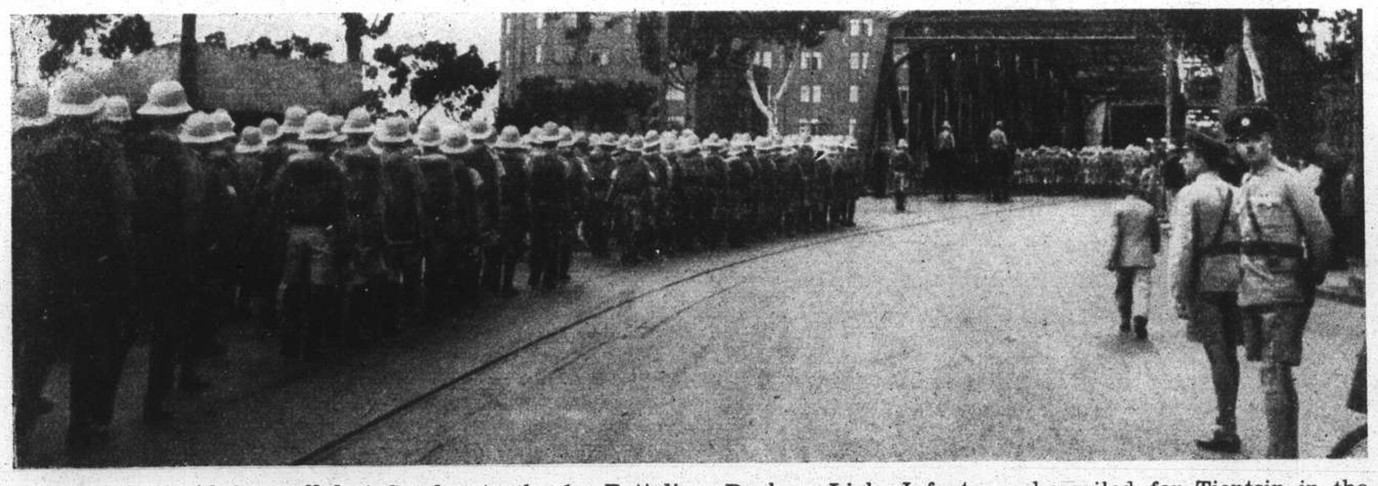
Rosalin is the two-year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Hill.—*Bann's.*

The Queen of Norway, for whom Lady Clark-Kerr acted by proxy, was one of the godmothers of Master Henry Lindley Neville Keswick, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keswick. The photograph shows the christening party leaving St. Joseph's Church in Rue Montauban after the ceremony, which took place on October 19.—*Lacks.*

Miss M. P. Poliakova, lyric soprano, will make her first appearance of the season in the "Dollar Princess" at the Lyceum.—*Josepho.*

Mr. A. J. Grimes of the U.S.S. Monocacy.—*Williams.*

On October 19, Col. J. C. Fegan, new Commander-in-Chief of the Fourth Regiment, U.S. Marines, paid a formal call on Mr. C. S. Franklin, Chairman of the Council. In the photo Col. Fegan is seen inspecting the guard of honour, composed of members of Russian Regiment, outside the Administration Building.—*N.C.D.N.*



Shanghai said farewell last Sunday to the 1st Battalion, Durham Light Infantry, who sailed for Tientsin in the transport "Lancashire." In the left hand photograph the battalion are seen marching on The Bund towards Garden Bridge. In the second picture they are passing the Japanese sentries posted on Garden Bridge.—*N.C.D.N.*

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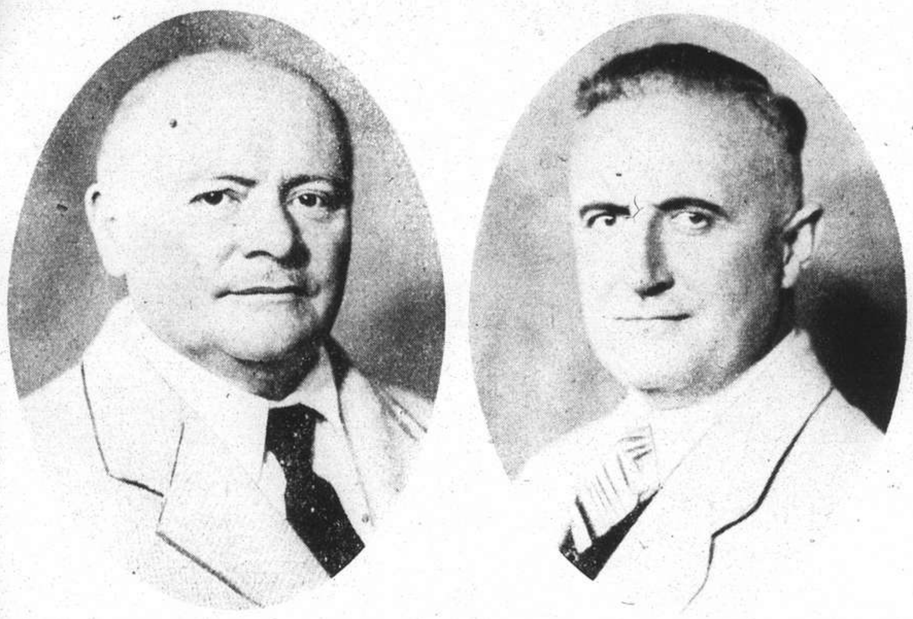
The engagement was announced at the end of August of Miss Susan Heathcote, daughter of Col. and Mrs. Heathcote, and Mr. H. L. L. (Nicky) Morriss, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Morriss.

An exclusive study of Mr. A. Bohomolec, new Polish Consul, who arrived in Shanghai on October 15.—*N.C.D.N.*

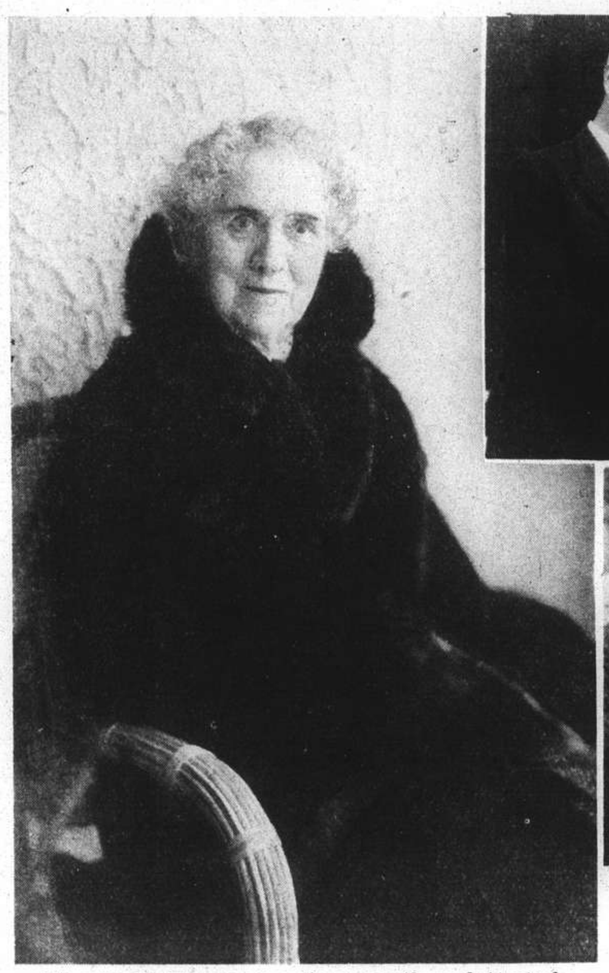
Dr. H. C. Vassiliadis, M.D., is the medical superintendent of the Sino-Belge Radium Institute.—*N.C.D.N.*

The German A.D.C. are presenting "Die Vier Gesellen" on October 25 at the Lyceum Theatre. Among the players taking part are (*l. to r.*) Charlotte Koch (Kaete Winter), Maremi Berg (Franzizka Ellern), Maria Haenggi (Lotte Waag) and (*centre*) Marianne Gertig (Marianne Krug.)—*Juras.*



Dr. Bartelt will take the part of Prof. Lange in the German A.D.C. play, "Die Vier Gesellen," which is being produced by (*right hand picture*) Mr. O. Zwanck.—*Juras.*

This police officer in miniature is Master Kenneth Richard Tuck, son of Sub-Insp. and Mrs. T. W. G. Tuck.—*Josepho.*



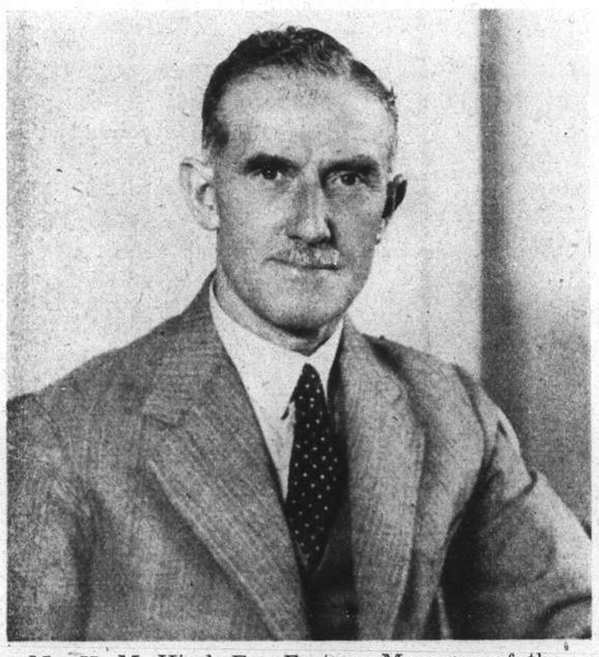
Mrs. T. E. Trueman, who recently celebrated her 82nd birthday, first came out to Shanghai on October 17, 1878.—*Bann's.*

Messrs. F. Bretschneider and E. Schild will take the parts of Martin Bachman and Reg. Rat Alfred Hintze, respectively, in the forthcoming German A.D.C. production.—*Juras.*

The Police Lawn Bowls Club and the Hongkew Golf Club (Lawn Bowls Section) joined forces on Sunday last in closing day ceremonies at the Police greens at Hongkew Park. Members of the two clubs are seen in the group above, applauding during the presentation of prizes, at which Mr. S. C. Young (*above, left*) officiated.—*N.C.D.N.*

Mr. L. A. Calfraft, of Butterfield & Swire, has returned to Shanghai from home leave.—*Bann's.*

Mrs. Margery L. Ham, wife of Commander Ham of H.M. Navy, is a new arrival.—*Bann's.*



Mr. H. M. Hind, Far Eastern Manager of the Phoenix Assurance Co., has returned from leave.—*Bann's.*

Masters Ronald Ian (*left*) and Denis Gordon Kliene (*right*), aged 11 and 13, respectively, are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. A. Kliene. They are accomplished musicians and may broadcast over the air in the near future.

Shanghai's World of Sport

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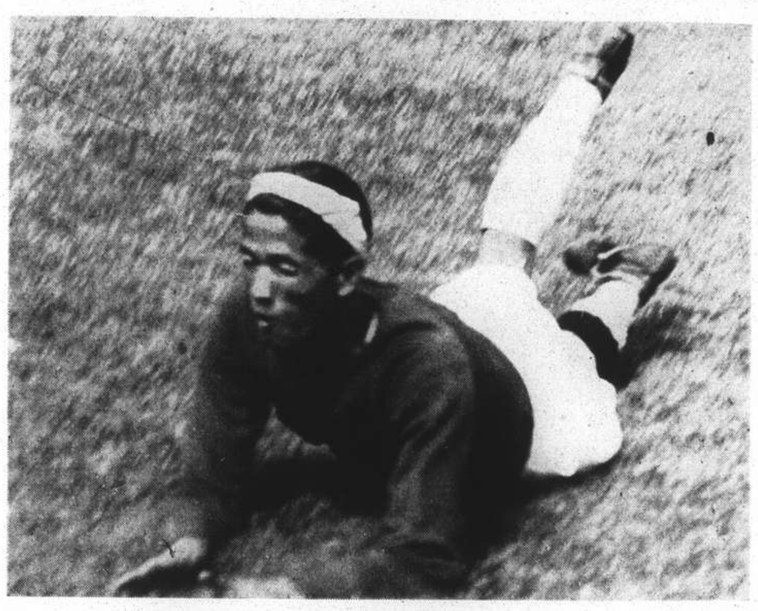
R. Favacho (Recs) heads into the Tung Hwa goal.

A struggle for possession of the ball during the Recs *v.* Tung Hwa game.



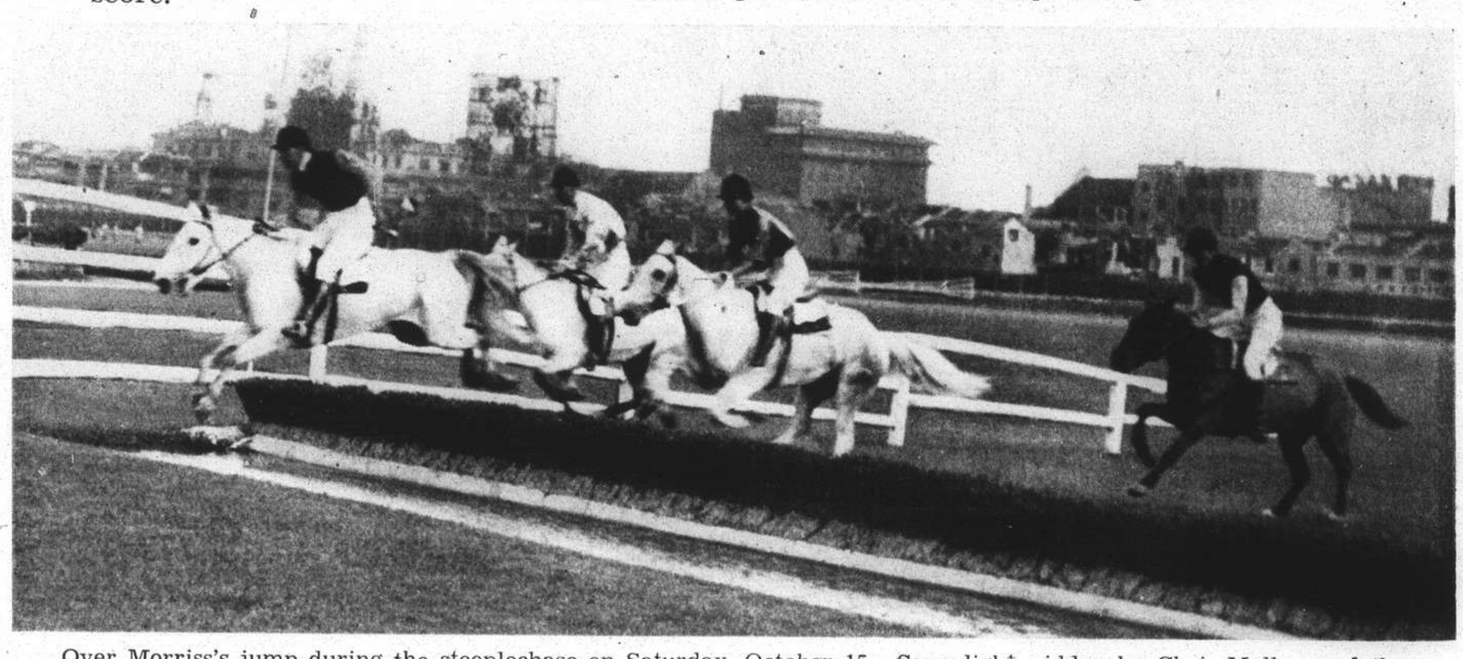
D. H. Chow, Tung Hwa goalie, dives to save a goal.

Recs *v.* Tung Hwa

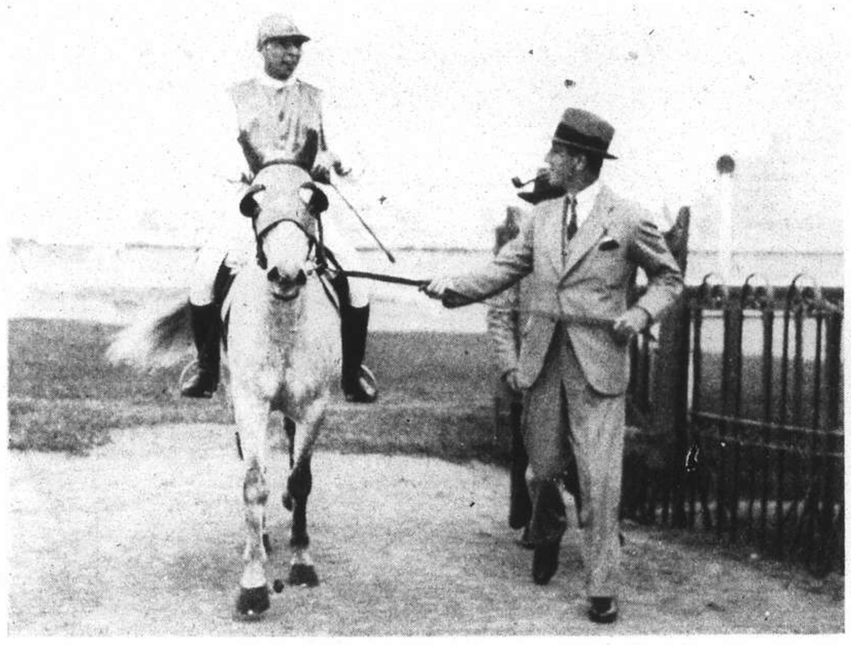
The game on Sunday, October 16, at the Canidrome was an exciting struggle, resulting in a win for Tung Hwa of 4 goals to 3. The mass defence tactics of the Chinese team proved to be the deciding factor, for although the Recs had most of the play in their favour, they found it impossible to get past the determined Chinese backs to even up the score.

Altclass, Recs goalie, in a valiant attempt to stop the ball.

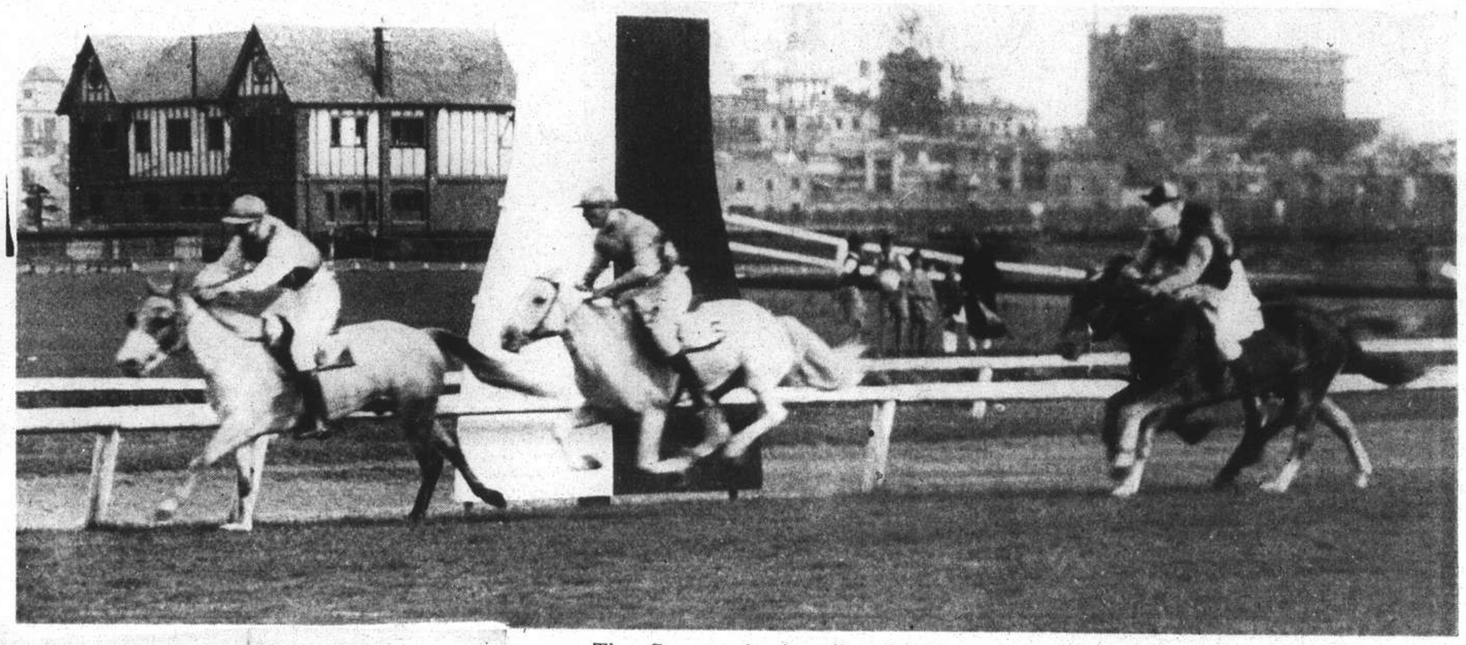
Half time during the Recs *v.* Tung Hwa game. In the foreground (*l. to r.*) are Symons and Oppenheim, Recs players.



Over Morriss's jump during the steeplechase on Saturday, October 15. Saucylight, ridden by Chris Moller, and the eventual winner, is leading the field. Behind him are Merry Memories, Airplane and San Carlo.



Mr. C. H. Arnhold leads in The Swan (A. Noodt up) after winning the 3rd race in the seventh extra race meeting.



The Swan winning the third race on Saturday, October 15, by half a length from Sparkfoot. The Swan was one of the few favourites who ran true to form in last weekend's racing.

On October 15 six adventurous spirits, comprising three Poles and three White Russians, set sail from Shanghai in this specially-rigged lifeboat for Manila, Java, Celebes, New Guinea, Australia and New Zealand. They did not attempt to estimate the length of time the voyage would take to reach their final destination.

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